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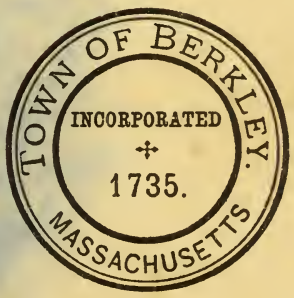
TOWN OF BERKLEY



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TOWN OFFICERS 1951

Moderator

Warren M. Ide

Selectmen

Albert Bindon	Term expires 1952
Harold G. Ashley	Term expires 1953
John P. Pilling	Term expires 1954

Treasurer

Francis F. G. Andrews

Assessors

John Q. Dillingham	Term expires 1952
Anthony Sylvia	Term expires 1953
Norman E. Whittaker	Term expires 1954

Highway Surveyor

Lewis W. Ashley

School Committee

Helen J. Colpitts	Term expires 1952
Ruth O. Babbitt	Term expires 1953
Gil A. Bettencourt	Term expires 1954

Collector of Taxes

Francis F. G. Andrews

Auditor

Arnold B. Perry

Trustees of Public Library

Maria E. D. Aguas	Term expires 1952
Florence M. Macomber	Term expires 1953
Viola F. Holmes	Term expires 1954

Burial Ground Commissioners

Ernest R. Flint	Term expires 1952
Manuel Martin (resigned)	Term expires 1953
Wojciech Pysz (resigned)	Term expires 1954

Tree Warden

Lewis W. Ashley

Town Clerk

Francis F. G. Andrews

Constables

Harold G. Ashley
William A. Cox
Willis G. Craw
Ernest R. Flint
Charles E. Harrison
William B. Mitchell
Eino H. Silvan

Finance Committee

Frank W. Carroll, Chairman

Herbert Aspinall
Hervey Blanchette
Ira S. Bumpus
Charles A. Cady
Warren L. Ide
Laurence B. Swift

Memorial Day and Honor Roll Committee

Gil A. Bettencourt
R. Donald Andrews

Supervisor of Relief

Albert Bindon

Director of Veterans' Services

R. Donald Andrews

Chief of Police

Harold G. Ashley

Chief of Fire Department

Albert Bindon (Temporary)

Inspector of Animals and of Slaughtering

Herbert Aspinall

Measurers of Wood and Lumber

Laurence Barrow
L. Clyde Cummings

Moth Superintendent

Russell A. Crimlisk

Pound Keeper

Anthony Sylvia

Dog Officer

Anthony Sylvia

Town Counsel

Gordon M. Owen, Esq.

Inspector of Wiring

Clarence B. O'Neill

Sealer of Weights and Measures

William B. Mitchell

Police Officers

William A. Cox
Ernest R. Flint
Charles E. Harrison
William B. Mitchell
Eino H. Silvan
Anthony Sylvia

Board of Registrars of Voters

Richard W. Pilling	Term expires 1952
Joseph D. Rose	Term expires 1953
Marion I. Needham	Term expires 1954
Francis F. G. Andrews	Town Clerk

JURY LISTS

Names added to the 1950 list:

Francis N. Fournier, Porter St.	Operator
Manuel G. Mattos, Berkley St.	Mill Hand

Names drawn in 1951 from 1950 list:

R. Donald Andrews	Norman M. Colpitts
Emery C. Andrews	L. Clyde Cummings
Francis F. G. Andrews	Clifford E. MacQueen
George R. Babbitt	Francis N. Fournier
Merton L. Briggs	Manuel G. Mattos

Harold E. Rose

1951 Jury List

Effective from July 1, 1951 to June 30, 1952

James A. F. Allen, Mill St.	Foreman
Herbert Aspinall, Bay View Ave.	Farmer
Arthur C. Bettencourt, Plain St.	Bus driver
*Ernest H. Brailey, Mill St.	Carpenter
John B. Brightman, Padelford St.	Airport operator
Robert L. Gilmore, Bay View Ave.	Machinist
*Ernest A. Greene, Bay View Ave.	Farmer
John M. Hathaway, South Main St.	Farmer
*William V. Hogan, Berkley St.	Electrician
Alfred T. Howland, Point St.	Chaser
*Preston B. King, North Main St.	Foreman
*John P. Pilling, Berkley St.	Store owner
*Joseph D. Rose, Padelford St.	Market gardener
*Albert E. Senechal, Jerome St.	Lineman
Lionel F. Souza, Grove St.	Receiving clerk
Raymond E. Stratton, Mill St.	Assistant steward
Charles A. Sylvia, South Main St.	Farmer
George J. Travers, Grove St.	Stitcher
*Alexander Trzcinski, Berkley St.	Animal Technician

* Drawn 1951.

ALBERT BINDON
JOHN P. PILLING
HAROLD G. ASHLEY
Board of Selectmen

Attest: Francis F. G. Andrews, Town Clerk

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

We are pleased to report that the Town is in good financial condition. In the past year $16,000.00 was borrowed to install a central heating system in the grammar school. $2,000.00 will have to be provided this year to meet the first note coming due and $2,000.00 per year for the next five years and $1,000.00 per year for four years. No new highway construction will be undertaken this year. There will be considerable increase in the appropriations to meet the Public Welfare Program. This is mandatory if we are to continue to receive Federal and State assistance. It is also mandatory to provide a Welfare Office. We shall endeavor to fully explain the necessity for, the increase in the appropriations and other changes which we have to meet at the Annual Business Meeting. We shall continue to do the best we know how to keep expenditures as low as possible, consistent with the best interest of the town without fear or favour to anyone. We earnestly request that all taxpayers who believe in honest and efficient town government, make a special effort to attend the town business meeting to be held Monday, March 3 and there to express your opinions on all questions brought before the meeting. We wish to express our appreciation to all who have cooperated with us in the conduct of the town business.

ALBERT BINDON
JOHN P. PILLING
HAROLD G. ASHLEY

Selectmen
Town of Berkley

SUPERVISOR'S REPORT

In submitting my report for the year 1951 it is necessary to bring to your attention the ever increasing cost of the Public Welfare Program. In the past year there has been two increases allowed since my last report; our present case load is 46 cases with total expenditures for Old Age Assistance has been $33,481.65, an increase of $1,942.15 over 1950. As of January 1, this year increases were allowed totaling $500.00 per month or $6,000.00 per year. Federal and State grants total $29,960.00, the net cost to the town being approximately $3,521.00.

Aid to Dependent Children

Total expenditures for this category were $6,028.00, an $4,457.86 leaving a net cost to the town of $1,570.76.

Temporary Aid

Total expenditures for Temporary Aid for the past year has been $2,978.28, a decrease over 1950 of $5,131.48. $1,480.12 was received in reimbursements from other cities and towns. The net cost to the town for the past year is $324.96. At the present we have no Temporary Aid cases chargeable to the town.

Disability Assistance

Under this new category, we have at the present time one case transferred from Temporary Aid. Appropriations will have to be provided to take care of this category for the coming year.

At this time I wish to express to you as members of the Board, to the Treasurer for his valued assistance and to our very efficient clerk, Miss Margaret Adams, who has been doing exceptionally fine work. For your fine cooperation I express my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT BINDON,

Supervisor.

ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR 1951

Value of assessed Personal Estate	$106,291.00
Buildings exclusive of Land	609,335.00
Land exclusive of Buildings	248,775.00
	$964,401.00
Number of Horses assessed	23
Number of Cows assessed	221
Number of Cattle assessed other than Cows	12
Number of Swine assessed	13
Number of Sheep assessed	45
Number of Fowl assessed	12,215
Number of Dwelling Houses assessed	365
Number of Acres of Land assessed	9,900
Number of Polls assessed	419
Rate per thousand	$58.00

Taxes for State, County, City or Town Purposes, including Overlays:

Real Estate	$49,770.38
Personal Estate	6,164.87
Polls	838.00

JOHN Q. DILLINGHAM

ANTHONY SYLVIA,

NORMAN E. WHITTAKER,

Assessors of Berkley.

SUMMARY OF STATE AUDIT REPORT

Published in accordance with the requirements of section 40, chapter 44, General Laws of Massachusetts.

Mr. Francis X. Lang, Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Berkley for the period from November 5, 1950, the date of the previous examination, to September 19, 1951, the following report being submitted thereon:

The financial transactions as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town were examined, checked, and verified.

The appropriations and loan authorizations voted by the town were listed, the general and appropriation accounts kept by the accounting officer was analyzed, and a balance sheet, showing the financial condition of the town on September 19, 1951, was prepared and is appended to this report.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the records in the several departments collecting money for the town and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the disbursements were checked with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the treasurer to disburse town funds.

The cash book was added throughout for the period covered by the audit, and the treasurer's cash balance on September 19, 1951 was proved by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements received from the banks of deposit and by actual count of the cash in the office.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined and listed. The income was proved and the balances were found to be as reported.

The records of tax titles held by the town were examined and checked. The amounts transferred from the tax levies to the tax title account were verified, the reported redemptions were checked, and the tax titles on hand were listed, proved, and compared with the records in the Registry of Deeds.

The books and accounts of the collector of taxes were examined and checked. The tax, excise, and assessment accounts outstanding at the time of the previous examination, as well as all subsequent commitment lists, were audited and reconciled with the assessors' warrants issued for their collection.

The collector's cash books were footed, the payments to the town treasurer were checked to the treasurer's cash book, the recorded abatements were compared with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

It is again recommended that action be taken to secure prompt settlement of the delinquent tax, motor vehicle and trailer excise, and moth assessment accounts of prior years, as there are sufficient remedies under the tax laws by which a collector of taxes may clear the warrants committing taxes, excise, and assessments for collection.

The records of departmental accounts receivable were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were compared with the payments to the treasurer and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The outstanding tax, excise, and assessment accounts were verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, and from the replies received it would appear that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The records of licenses and permits issued by the selectmen, the town clerk, and the police department were examined and checked, and the payments to the State and town were verified.

The surety bonds of officials required by law to furnish them were examined and found to be in proper form.

In addition to the departments mentioned, the available records of all other departments receiving money for the town were checked and the payments to the treasurer were verified.

There are appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax, excise, assessment, tax title, and departmental accounts, together with tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

For the cooperation received from all the town officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

(signed) HERMAN B. DINE

Assistant Director of Accounts

Attest: Francis F. G. Andrews, Town Clerk

(The complete report is on file in the town clerk's office, and is a public record available for inspection to all.)

BIRTHS RECORDED IN 1951

Date of Birth	*Name*	*Parents*	*Place of Birth*
1915			
Jan. 30	Joseph Munize	Bento M. and Mary Rezendes	Berkley
1934			
Nov. 4	Edith	Joseph and Virginia Fernandes	Berkley
1950			
Apr. 5	Joseph Michael	Alfred and Lena Gouveia	Taunton
Apr. 21	Thomas Michael	William V. and Bernice M. Hogan	Taunton
Oct. 10		Frederick and Edith Martin	Taunton
Dec. 4	Carol Ann	Stanley and Lorraine Poole	Taunton
1951			
Jan. 3	Raymond Harvey	Ernest E. and Ruth F. Stone	Taunton
Jan. 19	Ralph Alexander	Ralph A. and Elaine L. Brown	Taunton
Jan. 25	Janice Margaret	Lucien L. and Elsie P. Lareau	Taunton
Feb. 1	Walter	Walter and Elsie Falk	Taunton
Apr. 8	Gail Frances	Russell S. and Shirley Bennett	Taunton
Apr. 12	Michael Joseph	Herbert and Mary Flint	Taunton
Apr. 15	Dale Wilma	David J. and Marjorie Smith	Taunton
May 12	Jacqueline	David and Lorraine Pittsley	Fall River
May 14	Stephen R.	Hilton and Charlotte McPheters	Fall River
May 24	Antonio Michael	John and Jeanne Fernandes	Taunton
June 26	Stillborn		
July 16	Stillborn		
July 26	Jason Rodney	Howard and Lois Miller	Taunton
July 28	Donna Lee	Joseph and Nancy Gouveia	Taunton

Aug. 24	Lawrence Michael	Frank and Julia Rose	Taunton
Sept. 4		William and Janet Moniz	Taunton
Sept. 20		Anthony and Beatrice Gouvia	Taunton
Sept. 25	Joan Karen	Timothy and Shirley Kelly	Taunton
Oct. 19	Merle Douglas	Merle and Althea Stetson	Taunton
Nov. 6	Steven John Almeida	Joseph and Julia Almeida	Taunton
Nov. 14	Marlene Frances	Earl and Priscilla Clark	Taunton
Nov. 27	Janice Eleanor	Irving and Jane Boynton	Taunton

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1946			
Apr. 8	Alan Charles	Albert G. and Marguerite Doherty	Berkley

PUBLIC NOTICE

As required by law, public notice is hereby given that the town clerk will furnish blanks for returns of births to parents, householders, physicians, and registered hospital medical officers applying therefor.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN 1951

Date of Marriage	*Name of Groom*	*Name of Bride*	*Place of Marriage*
1950			
Dec. 2	Peter Basil Slivinski	Emily Mildred Casior	Pawtucket, R. I.
Dec. 22	Edwin Richard Allen	Elizabeth Ann Rines	Nashua, N. H.
1951			
Jan. 20	John J. Dulak	Gertrude Louise Murphy	Taunton
Feb. 3	Albert Owen Ratcliffe	Dorothy Elsie Dion	Taunton
Feb. 6	Henry Roger Carrier	Marie Marthe Regeanne Gagne	Fall River
Feb. 10	Norman Joseph Lefaivre	Lorraine Louise Souza	Taunton
Feb. 10	John Adrick Malo, Jr.	Ruth Aylesworth White	Taunton
Feb. 24	Lester Brown Makepeace, Jr.	Grace Marie Duarte	Seekonk
Mar. 31	Robert Hathaway Burt	Anita Dorothy DeMille	Taunton
Apr. 9	Richard Joseph Gasper	Joan Mabel Girardey	Freetown
Apr. 14	Stanley Moskal	Patricia A. Strange	Dighton
May 5	Gordon McQuillan	June Abby Reed	Berkley
June 2	Frank Winchoba	Wanda A. Folcik	Berkley
June 30	Peter Joseph Murphy	Mary Elizabeth Driscoll	Taunton
June 30	Charles Desalliers	Shirley Mae Overlock	Taunton
Aug. 25	Richard Francis Young	Margaret Lorraine DeMoura	Taunton
Sept. 2	William Albert Tower	Beverly May Conant	Berkley
Sept. 3	Irving Leslie Boynton	Jane Crandell Briggs	Berkley
Sept. 3	Albert M. Alger	Mary (Marshall) Smith	Taunton
Sept. 15	Henry Walter Cutler, Jr.	Mary Julia Milko	Taunton
Sept. 26	Raymond Euclid Peloquin, Jr.	Edwidge Ann Lown	Fall River

Date of Marriage	*Name of Groom*	*Name of Bride*	*Place of Marriage*
Sept. 29	George Alfred Griswold	Rita Louise Garrity	Berkley
Oct. 6	Stanley Robert Irvine	Patricia Louise Morse	Taunton
Oct. 13	Richard Elmer Carpenter	Margaret Louise Withers	Rehoboth
Oct. 27	Lawrence W. Westgate	Barbara A. Lemmo	Berkley
Nov. 17	Edwin Dwelly Jones, Jr.	Doris May Cummings	Berkley
Nov. 22	Frederick Berry White	Bettina Bayne Poole	Berkley
Dec. 1	Joseph Lawrence Fernandes	Edna Mae Paige	Taunton
Dec. 1	Merrill E. Fleck	Alice A. Gasper	Taunton
Dec. 23	Antone S. DeMoura, Jr.	Patricia Ann Keen	Berkley

DEATHS RECORDED IN 1951

Date of Death	*Name*	*Age* *Y*	*M*	*D*	*Place of Death*
1950					
Dec. 30	Warren Sylvester	42	6	20	Boston
Dec. 31	Gladys I. (Seekell) Staples	46	2		Taunton
1951					
Jan. 2	Norman L. Oakes	56		18	Fall River
Feb. 5	Walter Falk			5	Taunton
Feb. 18	Matilda (Noll) Lucke	80	1	1	Berkley
Feb. 23	Merideth Clarke Wilson	43	2	18	Taunton
May 16	John William Barrow	53			Berkley
May 27	John F. Loomis	77			Taunton
May 31	Lizzie Howland	87	9	21	Fall River
June 13	Henry Blanchette	69	1	9	Taunton
July 16	Stillborn				
Aug. 28	Leroy G. Ashley	68	5	5	Taunton
Sept. 5	Dina Goddu	85			Pawtucket, R. I.
Oct. 17	Hazel (Barnard) Macomber	63	2	20	Berkley

TOWN CLERK'S CASH

1. Dog Licenses

41 spayed females, less 2 military, free, 39 at $2.00	$ 78.00	
Less fees retained	7.80	
		$ 70.20
163 males, less 6 military, free, 157 at $2.00	$ 314.00	
Less fees retained	31.40	
		282.60
23 females, less 1 military, free 22 at $5.00	$ 110.00	
Less fees retained	4.40	
		105.60
18 4-dog kennel licenses at $10.00	$ 180.00	
Less fees retained	3.60	
		176.40
Total 1951 receipts, dog licenses		$ 634.80
Payments to Treasurer, 1951	$ 357.20	
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1951	277.60	
		$ 634.80

2. Sporting Licenses

Series 1 Fishing	41	at $2.00	$ 82.00
Series 2 Hunting	167	at $2.00	334.00
Series 3 Sporting	71	at $3.25	230.75
Series 4 Fishing	13	at $1.25	16.25
Series 6 Trapping	3	at $5.25	15.75
Series 7 Fishing	1	at $1.50	1.50
Series 10 Hunting	3	at $10.25	30.75
Series 12 Duplicate	3	at $ .50	1.50
Series 15 Sporting	2		Free
Series 16 Sporting	1		Free
Totals	305		$712.50

Payments to Division of Fisheries and Game	$ 637.75	
Fees retained	74.75	
		$ 712.50

3. Miscellaneous

Oleomargarine licenses:		
Blanchette, Hamilton	$	1.00
Gasoline, explosives, etc., renewals:		
Barboza's Pkg. Store & Filling Station		
Hervey Blanchette		
Ivah A. Brightman		
Walter E. Hamilton, Jr.		
Gilbert and Joseph Rapoza		
Benjamin F. Rose		
Frank Silva		
Calvin P. Staples		
Clarence C. Trenouth		
Harold W. Ward		
10 at $2.00		20.00
Total, Miscellaneous	$	21.00
Payments to Treasurer	$	21.00

TOWN MEETINGS 1951

In 1951, in addition to the annual town meeting and election, three special town meetings were held, May 24, June 21, and December 31. Records of these town meetings are open to the public.

A certificate of the Bureau of the Census filed in the town clerk's office by the Secretary of the Commonwealth, Hon. Edward J. Cronin, attests the population of Berkley according to the 1950 census as 1,284. Comparative figures are the 1940 census, 1,130, and the 1930 census, 1,120.

For the second year in a row the waters of the Taunton River have been declared contaminated and the taking of shellfish therefrom is prohibited, according to papers filed in the town clerk's office by the State Department of Public Health.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS F. G. ANDREWS

Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

TAX TABLES

Taxes 1946

PERSONAL

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 118.20
Abatements 1951		$ 118.20

Taxes and Excises 1947

PERSONAL

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 44.00
Abatements 1951		44.00

MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 27.58
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 21.36	
Abatements 1951	6.22	
		$ 27.58

Taxes, Excises, and Assessments 1948

POLL

Outstanding Jan 1, 1951		$ 29.46
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 27.46	
Abatements 1951	2.00	
		$ 29.46

PERSONAL

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 52.58
Collected and paid Treasurer		$ 52.58

REAL ESTATE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951	$ 512.34	
Refunds after abatements	4.40	
		$ 516.74
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 371.10	
Transfer to Tax Titles	106.48	
Abatements	4.40	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	34.76	
		$ 516.74

MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 53.54
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 51.00	
Abatements 1951	2.54	
		$ 53.54

MOTH ASSESSMENTS

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 6.00
Collected and paid Treasurer		$ 6.00

Taxes, Excises, and Assessments 1949

POLL

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 110.57
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 86.82	
Abatements 1951	23.75	
		$ 110.57

PERSONAL

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951	$ 646.98	
Overpayment refunded	92.18	
		$ 739.16
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 676.24	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	62.92	
		$ 739.16

REAL ESTATE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951	$ 4,622.06	
Refunds after abatements	4.40	
		$ 4,626.46
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 4,280.40	
Transfer to Tax Titles	216.04	
Abatements 1951	4.40	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	125.62	
		$ 4,626.46

MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 559.12
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 542.58	
Bankruptcy Proceedings	7.58	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	8.96	
		$ 559.12

MOTH ASSESSMENTS

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 12.00
Collected and paid Treasurer		$ 12.00

Taxes, Excises, and Assessments 1950

POLL

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 150.00
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 132.00	
Abatements 1951	6.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	12.00	
		$ 150.00

PERSONAL

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 1,430.37
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 912.56	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	517.81	
		$ 1,430.37

REAL ESTATE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951	$36,818.35	
Overpayments refunded	2.95	
		$36,821.30
Collected and paid Treasurer	$30,579.02	
Abatements 1951	48.20	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	6,194.08	
		$36,821.30

MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951	$ 2,386.00	
Abatements and refunds	5.30	
Overpayments refunded	8.42	
		$ 2,399.72
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 2,134.61	
Abatements	17.25	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	247.86	
		$ 2,399.72

MOTH ASSESSMENTS

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1951		$ 77.00
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 62.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	15.00	
		$ 77.00

Taxes and Excises 1951

POLL

Commitment 1951	$ 838.00	
Refunds after abatements	4.00	
		$ 842.00
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 522.00	
Abatements 1951	72.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	248.00	
		$ 842.00

PERSONAL

Commitment 1951		$ 6,164.87
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 5,247.60	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	917.27	
		$ 6,164.87

REAL ESTATE

Commitment 1951	$49,770.38	
Refunds after abatements	2.90	
Overpayments refunded	32.80	
		$49,806.08
Collected and paid Treasurer	$36,395.31	
Abatements 1951	1,621.39	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	11,789.38	
		$49,806.08

MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE

Commitments 1951	$ 6,553.71	
Abatements refunded	45.68	
		$ 6,599.39
Collected and paid Treasurer	$ 4,032.48	
Abatements 1951	196.20	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1951	2,370.71	
		$ 6,599.39

Charges and Fees Collected

On taxes and assessments:	
Demands and warrants:	
Levy of 1948	$ 15.15
Levy of 1949	41.90
Levy of 1950	7.35
On motor vehicle and trailer excise:	
Demands and warrants:	
Levy of 1947	4.15
Levy of 1948	5.85
Levy of 1949	23.65
Levy of 1950	15.40
	$ 113.45
Paid to treasurer	$ 113.45

Interest Collected

On taxes and assessments:	
Levy of 1948	$ 45.32
Levy of 1949	346.29
Levy of 1950	290.78
Levy of 1951	6.24
On motor vehicle and trailer excise:	
Levy of 1947	4.27
Levy of 1948	7.71

Levy of 1949	53.82
Levy of 1950	47.00
Levy of 1951	5.80
Total Interest Collected	$ 807.23
Paid Treasurer	$ 807.23

Note: Included in the amount of $807.23 shown as interest collected on delinquent taxes, excises, and assessments during 1951, is an amount of $7.29 which represents amounts refunded to persons for overpayment of interest. This happens occasionally when in sending payment of taxes and interest by mail, the amount included for interest is overestimated by the taxpayer. Deducting the amount certified to the treasurer for refunds, $7.29, from the total amount of interest collected, $807.23, leaves the net amount available to the town as estimated receipts for 1952, for interest on taxes, $799.94. Likewise, the amount of $113.45 shown as the total amount of charges and fees collected includes an amount refunded of 35c; the net amount of charges and fees available as estimated receipts would thus be $113.10.

COMMENT

In 1951, $86,145.12 in taxes, excises, and assessments was collected and turned over to the treasurer. This is the largest sum ever collected in one year in Berkley, and of course is due mainly to the late 1950 real estate commitment and the earlier 1951 real estate commitment, resulting in the bulk of each of these commitments being collected in one fiscal year. As has so often been repeated in these comments, most of the Berkley taxpayers are prompt in meeting their obligations, and the above figures are ample evidence of that promptness. I can never say enough in appreciation of these good people; the town is fortunate to have them as residents.

On the other hand are those who have to be persuaded in one way or another to pay their share of the town's expense. Of course, there are those who have their own difficulties and, not being too well off myself, I can appreciate their problems. Nevertheless, taxes are an expected expense, and certainly should be anticipated as such, and every effort made to set aside the necessary funds to pay them promptly. There shouldn't be any excuse in all but a very few cases to have taxes unpaid at the very most in a year after they are issued.

In my report for 1950 I said that all levies through 1949 would be closed during 1951. At the end of 1951, however, there are still outstanding 1948 real estate taxes of $34.76, 1949 personal taxes of $62.92, 1949 real estate taxes of $125.62, and 1949 motor vehicle and trailer excises of $8.96. At the time of making up this report this total has been reduced by some $125.00 through collections and takings for tax title. During 1952 I am going to try and clear all commitments through 1951. I know this is going to be hard on some, and that there will be much wailing and gnashing of teeth, with the usual comment that the collector has a heart of stone; nevertheless, as reported in the summary of the state audit report, "It is recommended that action be taken to secure prompt settlement of the delinquent accounts, as there are sufficient remedies under the tax laws by which a collector of taxes may clear the warrants . . . " So, to those still owing 1950 and 1951 taxes, please prepare to get these out of the way during 1952; otherwise, it will be hard for you, and for me who has to push you for them.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS F. G. ANDREWS,

Collector of Taxes.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1951	$ 35,687.33	
Cash receipts in 1951	198,718.08	
		$234,405.41
Cash payments in 1951	$178,213.38	
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1951	56,192.03	
		$234,405.41

1951 Cash Receipts Classified

1. TAXES

Taxes 1951 from Collector:		
Property:		
Personal	$ 5,247.60	
Real Estate	36,395.31	
		$ 41,642.91
Poll		522.00
Reimbursement, State, loss of taxes		5.47
Taxes of previous years from Collector:		
Property:		
Personal	$ 1,641.38	
Real Estate	35,230.52	
		36,871.90
Poll		246.28
Tax Title Redemptions, Westgate		35.19
Taxes from State:		
Income	$ 3,376.45	
Corporation	4,099.45	
Public Service Franchise	.10	
		7,476.00
Total, Taxes		$ 86,799.75

2. LICENSES AND PERMITS

From Selectmen, liquor:		
1 1951 all-alcoholic common victualler, Kendzierski	$ 350.00	
1 1951 all-alcoholic club, Cavalier	350.00	
2 1951 all-alcoholic package store, Barboza, Hampston	400.00	
1 1951 beer-wine package store, Blanchette	100.00	
21 1-day beer permits	42.00	
		$ 1,242.00

From Selectmen, other:		
2 milk pasteurization, Roman, Townley		20.00
10 Sunday licenses		10.00
Gasoline, explosives, etc.:		
Cronan	$ 4.00	
Hathaway	1.00	
		5.00
Use car, junk, at $5.00:		
DeMoura 2, Rose 2, McCrohan		25.00
Junk Collectors, at $2.00:		
Beiler, Wood 2		6.00
Common victualler, Cavalier		2.50
Chief of Police, 21 pistol permits		10.50
Fire department permits		25.50
Town Clerk:		
2 oleomargarine	$ 1.00	
10 gasoline registrations	20.00	
		21.00
Total, Licenses and Permits		$ 1,367.50

3. FINES

Fines, First District Court:	
Gambling (bookies) 2	$ 1,000.00
Traffic violations	45.25
Total Fines	$ 1,045.25

4. GRANTS AND GIFTS

Grants from Federal Government:		
Aid to Dependent Children:		
Administration	$ 15.17	
Aid	2,760.75	
Old Age Assistance:		
Administration	134.62	
Aid	16,948.56	
		$ 19,859.10
Grants from State:		
School Aid	$ 7,796.01	
Vocational Education	922.72	
Union Superintendency	373.31	
School milk subsidy	123.85	

Chapter 81 Highways	7,462.33	
Inspector of Animals	30.00	
Meals Tax	568.15	
		17,276.37
Grant from County: Dog Fund		302.79
Gifts from greyhound associations used for traffic duty on dog track nights		500.00
Total, Grants and Gifts		$ 37,938.26

5. ALL OTHER GENERAL REVENUE

Selectmen, lease of tax possession land, Combs	$ 10.00

6. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Moth Assessments, from Collector	$ 80.00

7. PRIVILEGES

Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise, from Collector of Taxes	$ 6,782.03

8. DEPARTMENT

General Government:		
From Selectmen, reimbursements for advertising costs	$ 8.00	
From Treasurer, reimbursement for recording costs, tax title redemption	3.28	
From Collector:		
Charges and fees (demands, warrants, etc.	113.45	
Tax certificate	1.00	
From Town Clerk:		
For 3 voting lists sold	4.50	
Town Hall, phone refund by Tel. Co.	3.59	
		$ 133.82
Protection of Persons and Property:		
County, reimbursement for boarding and killing dogs		26.00
Health and Sanitation:		
Slaughtering fees, Babbitt		60.00
Highways:		
Chapter 90 maintenance:		
State for 1950	$ 1,000.00	
County for 1950	1,000.00	

Chapter 90 bridge repairs:			
State		3,008.81	
County		1,504.40	
Scraper rental, 76 hrs. at 25c		19.00	
			6,532.21
Charities:			
Reimbursements, Temporary Aid:			
City of Boston	$885.12		
City of Taunton	595.00		
		$ 1,480.12	
Reimbursements, Aid to Dependent Children:			
State		1,707.86	
Reimbursements, Old Age Assistance:			
City of Fall River	$ 132.53		
Town of Freetown	23.91		
Town of Lakeville	167.69		
City of New Bedford	143.16		
Town of Raynham	134.84		
City of Taunton	330.80		
State	12,028.80		
		12,961.73	
			16,149.71
School department:			
Phone refund by Tel. Co.		2.15	
Sales of milk		284.84	
			286.99
Library, rent of Memorial Hall			28.00
Total, Departmental			$ 23,216.73

9. CEMETERIES

Interest withdrawn from savings accounts:	
Cemetery perpetual care funds	$ 141.75
E. H. Allen Fund	42.65
Total, Cemeteries	$ 184.40

10. INTEREST

On deferred taxes and assessments	$ 688.63
On motor vehicle and trailer excise	118.60
On tax title redemptions	1.78
On deposits	3.29

Accrued interest on sale of notes, school remodeling loan	14.78
Total, Interest	$ 827.08

11. MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Anticipation highway reimbursement loan, Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company	$ 18,900.00
School Remodeling Loan, Day Trust Co.	16,000.00
Total, Municipal Indebtedness	$ 34,900.00

12. AGENCY

Proceeds of Dog Licenses, Town Clerk	$ 357.20

13. TRUST

Tailings, check of previous year	$ .24
Old Age Assistance Recoveries	533.85
Dillingham Fund, income from securities	42.00
Federal Withholding Taxes	3,051.37
Blue Cross deductions	30.45
County retirement deductions	247.28
Total, Trust	$ 3,905.19

14. INVESTMENT

Giles Leach Fund, income from securities	$ 60.00

15. REFUNDS

Collector, petty cash	$ 50.00
Police Department, error in payroll	11.00
Fire Department, pay returned	.75
Sealer, overdraft refunded	.92
Aid to Dependent Children, extras	21.71
Old Age Assistance, extras and corrections	168.54
School Department, old bill and extras	345.08
School Heating System, withheld per contract	646.69
Total, Refunds	$ 1,244.69

Recapitulation of 1951 Cash Receipts

1. Taxes	$ 86,799.75
2. Licenses and Permits	1,367.50
3. Fines	1,045.25

4. Grants and Gifts	37,938.26
5. All Other General Revenue	10.00
6. Special Assessments	80.00
7. Privileges	6,782.03
8. Departmental	23,216.73
9. Cemeteries	184.40
10. Interest	827.08
11. Municipal Indebtedness	34,900.00
12. Agency	357.20
13. Trust	3,905.19
14. Investment	60.00
15. Refunds	1,244.69
Total, Cash Receipts 1951	$198,718.08

1951 Cash Payments

Classified by Appropriations and Accounts

1. GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator's Salary

Warren M. Ide		$ 20.00

Selectmen's Salaries

Albert Bindon, Chairman	$ 150.00	
Harold G. Ashley	125.00	
John P. Pilling	125.00	
		400.00

Selectmen's Expense

Albert Bindon, delivering town reports	$ 3.18	
Membership dues:		
Bristol County Selectmen's Ass'n.	6.00	
Massachusetts Selectmen's Ass'n.	15.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms	2.37	
Taunton Daily Gazette:		
Advertising hearings	11.33	
Constables:		
Posting town meeting warrants:		
Eino H. Silvan	3.00	
Linneus C. Whitaker	6.00	
		46.88
State Audits		417.90

Auditor's Salary

Warren M. Ide	$ 10.70	
Arnold B. Perry	44.30	
		55.00

Auditor's Expense

Holmes Print Shop, forms	$ 3.50	
Warren M. Ide, stamped envelopes	8.65	
Postmaster, stamped envelopes	8.65	
Sullivan's Office Supply Co., stamp and pad	2.00	
		22.80

Treasurer's Salary

Francis F. G. Andrews		500.00

Treasurer's Expense

American Bank Note Co., coupons for school loan	$ 41.25	
Francis F. G. Andrews, postage and 2 phone calls to Boston on school loan	3.54	
R. Donald Andrews, clerical, 52 hrs.	41.60	
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., paper	2.21	
Director of Accounts, certifying notes	34.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms	5.14	
Holmes Print Shop, allowance for checks	36.00	
Mass. Coll. and Treas. Ass'n., dues	2.00	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, cash book, forms	15.21	
Massachusetts Envelope Co.	24.70	
Postmaster, stamps	120.24	
Sullivan's Office Supply Co., paper, mimeographing, etc.	10.70	
J. R. Tallman & Co., Inc.:		
Bond	46.50	
Insurance on scales at Town Hall	16.62	
		399.71

Tax Title Expense

Harold A. Goff, Register, recording instrument of redemption	$ 3.28	
Frederick L. Tripp, registry searches, surveying, plans, descriptions, etc.	123.00	
		126.28
Collector's Petty Cash, for change		50.00

Collector's Salary

Francis F. G. Andrews			500.00

Collector's Expense

Percy L. Baldwin, janitor service at Myricks		$ 3.00	
Barre Gazette, tax bills		34.50	
J. Adrien Bissonnette, deputy's bond		5.00	
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., ribbons		1.74	
Cecelia Costa, clerical, 23 hours		19.55	
Harold A. Goff, Register, recording		2.56	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms, binders, books		52.39	
Warren L. Ide, notarizing		.75	
Dorothy M. Lippold, clerical, 9 hours		7.65	
Mass. Coll. and Treas. Ass'n., dues		2.00	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, forms		9.69	
Postmaster, stamped envelopes		34.60	
Frederick D. Sowle, deputy's notices of warrants		4.00	
J. R. Tallman & Co., Inc.:			
Bond		102.75	
Insurance on money and securities		30.00	
Taunton Daily Gazette, tax advertising		11.31	
Frederick L. Tripp, registry searches		33.00	
			354.49

Assessors' Salaries

Norman E. Whittaker, Chairman		$ 500.00	
John J. Dillingham		300.00	
Anthony Sylvia		300.00	
			1,100.00

Assessors' Expense

Ass'n. of Mass. Assessors, dues		$ 9.00	
Beatrice G. Buckley, records of registry transfers		19.53	
Davol Printing House, forms		9.25	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms, binders		36.43	
Warren Holmes, canvassing blanks		7.00	
Postmaster, stamps		5.00	
Sullivan's Office Supply Co.:			
Typewriter rental	$ 6.00		
Paper, ribbon, etc.	5.15		
		11.15	

Anthony Sylvia:			
7½ days car at $4	$30.00		
Mileage and expenses	6.90		
		36.90	
Norman E. Whittaker:			
2 days car at $4	$ 8.00		
Mileage and expenses	19.20		
		27.20	
			161.46

Town Counsel

Gordon M. Owen:			
Attendance at legislative hearing on Freetown water bill	$	35.00	
Services re heating contract, school:			
Advice, conferences, drawing contract		50.00	
Advice, conferences and opinions to selectmen in 1951		50.00	
			135.00

Town Clerk's Salary

Francis F. G. Andrews			150.00

Town Clerk's Fees

Francis F. G. Andrews, returns of records of vital statistics	$	73.00	
Oaths of office		2.00	
			75.00

Town Clerk's Expense

Thomas Groom & Co., Inc.:			
Bulletin board	$	7.24	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms		3.20	
Mass. Dept. of Public Works, maps		.50	
Mass. Town Clerk's Ass'n., dues		5.00	
Postmaster, postal cards		.50	
Sullivan's Office Supply Co., envelopes		1.45	
J. R. Tallman & Co., Inc., bond		5.00	
			22.89

Elections

Election officers:		
Blanche Campbell	$ 9.00	
E. Roy Colpitt	9.00	
L. Clyde Cummings	9.00	

Josephine E. Makepeace	9.00		
Marion I. Needham	9.00		
Anthony Sylvia, police officer	9.00		
		54.00	
Holmes Print Shop, ballots		22.50	
			76.50

Registrations

Registrars' salaries:			
Richard W. Pilling, Chairman	$75.00		
Marion I. Needham	75.00		
Joseph D. Rose	75.00		
		225.00	
Percy L. Baldwin, janitor services, Myricks		1.50	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms		10.54	
Anthony Sylvia, janitor service, Town Hall		1.70	
			238.74

Town Hall Expense

Berkley General Store, light bulbs		$ 1.14	
Janitor services:			
Russell E. Combs		62.50	
Lucy F. White		4.69	
Anthony Sylvia		1.70	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.		112.77	
Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant		14.97	
Allan M. Walker & Co., Inc., insurance		69.92	
			267.69

2. PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department

Payrolls	$461.03	
Armand Gamelin	9.00	
Postmaster, stamped envelopes	18.16	
Taunton Police Department, lockups	1.00	
Payroll error	11.00	
(Error refunded; net payments from this account $489.19)	$	500.19

Police Department for Greyhound Associations

Payrolls	500.00

Police Department Payrolls Combined and Itemized

Harold G. Ashley, Chief	$194.00	
William A. Cox	123.98	
Ernest R. Flint	120.15	
Charles E. Harrison	146.83	
William B. Mitchell	92.95	
Eino H. Silvan	164.35	
Anthony Sylvia	114.52	
Allen M. Talbot	4.25	
		961.03

Fire Department

Payrolls:		
Labor at $1 per hour:		
Harold G. Ashley, 1½ hrs.	$ 1.50	
Russell E. Combs, 2½ hrs.	2.50	
Antone S. DeMoura, 41 hrs.	41.00	
Elmer L. Wing, 1 hr.	1.00	
		46.00
Labor at 85c per hour:		
John M. Hathaway, Chief, 10 hrs.	$ 8.50	
Kenneth H. Combs, 3 hrs.	2.55	
Willis G. Craw, 5 hrs.	4.25	
Francis E. Fournier, 7 hrs.	5.95	
Joseph O. Freeman, 12½ hrs.	10.63	
		31.88
Labor at 75c per hour:		
Harold G. Ashley, 1½ hrs.	$ 1.13	
Lewis W. Ashley, 8 hrs.	6.01	
Richard W. Babbitt, 1 hr.	.75	
Ralph Bristol, 1 hr.	.75	
Donald S. Boutilier, Jr., 1 hr.	.75	
William A. Cox, 1½ hrs.	1.13	
Russell A. Crimlisk, 1 hr.	.75	
Alfred DeMoura, 3½ hrs.	2.63	
Antone S. DeMoura, 6½ hrs.	4.87	
Antone S. DeMoura, Jr., 17 hrs.	12.76	
Raymond DeMoura, 2 hrs.	1.50	
Daniel R. Fernandes, 1 hr.	.75	
Harold F. Fitzgerald, 3 hrs.	2.25	
Ernest R. Flint, 2 hrs.	1.50	
Ernest A. Greene, 3 hrs.	2.25	

Leonard A. King, 1 hr.		.75	
Joseph H. Marshall, Jr., 1 hr.		.75	
Norman McDonald, 1 hr.		.75	
Carl G. Overlock, 4½ hrs.		3.38	
Gilbert S. Rapoza, 8 hrs.		6.00	
Albert O. Ratcliffe, 1 hr.		.75	
Antone Rose, 1 hr.		.75	
Harold E. Rose, 2 hrs.		1.50	
Joseph D. Rose, 8½ hrs.		6.38	
Patrick H. Rose, 4 hrs.		3.00	
William R. Shepard, 1 hr.		.75	
Charles W. Sherwood, 9½ hrs.		7.13	
Alfred T. Townley, 3rd, 1 hr.		.75	
Edward B. White, 1 hr.		.75	
Elmer L. Wing, 4½ hrs.		3.38	
Richard F. Young, 2 hrs.		1.50	
		78.05	
Town of Freetown, engine and labor		41.00	
Use of cars:			
Albert Bindon	$32.00		
Kenneth H. Combs	3.00		
Willis G. Craw	2.00		
Antone S. DeMoura	4.00		
Francis E. Fournier	5.00		
Joseph O. Freeman	9.00		
John M. Hathaway	6.00		
Joseph D. Rose	2.00		
		63.00	
Equipment maintenance and repairs:			
Berkley General Store, repairs, gas, storage		$57.74	
Antone S. DeMoura/DeMoura's Auto Wrecking:			
Storage, anti-freeze, tire, repairs, and repair hose		73.50	
The Pierce Hardware Co.: Soda acid charges, extinguisher liquid		18.00	
Silva's Shell Gas Station: gas, oil		13.49	
		162.73	
New Equipment:			
Charles H. Clougherty Co.:			
2 pump cans, 1 pump assembly		63.04	
			485.70

Sealer Weights and Measures

Babbitt & Simmons, funnel		$ 8.90
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., seals		6.90
W. & L. E. Gurley, dies, tags		5.12
William B. Mitchell, salary		40.00
		$ 60.92

Moth Department

Payments		$ 425.00

Dutch Elm Beetle Control

Payments		$ 199.74

Moth and Dutch Elm Payments Combined and Itemized

Payrolls:		
Russell A. Crimlisk, Supt., 159 hrs.	$159.00	
Ernest R. Flint, labor, 63 hrs.	56.70	
Russell E. Macomber, labor, 92 hrs.	82.80	
Russell A. Crimlisk, truck hire, 159 hrs.	159.00	
		$ 457.50
Berkley General Store, gas		8.49
Nu-Brite Chemical Co., Inc., DDT		158.75
		$ 624.74

Tree Department

Lewis W. Ashley:		
Warden, 106 hrs.	$106.00	
Truck hire, 27 hrs.	27.00	
Power saw, 14 hrs.	28.00	
		$ 161.00
Labor:		
Stanley F. Hadro, 2 hrs.	$ 1.80	
Walter M. Longton, 4 hrs.	3.60	
Elmer W. Perry, 2 hrs.	1.80	
Antone Rose, 107 hrs.	96.30	
		103.50
Antone Rose, power saw, 8 hrs.		16.00
Haworth Tree Experts, power saw, 6 hrs.		18.00
		$ 298.50

Dog Officer

Anthony Sylvia, boarding, killing, collecting, time, mileage	134.30

3. HEALTH AND SANITATION

County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	$ 3,931.26
Mosquito Control, State Reclamation Board	25.00

Board of Health Expense

Herbert Aspinall, Animal Inspector	$ 60.00
Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital	547.50
Charles M. Souza, M.D., diphtheria clinic at school	30.00
	$ 637.50

4. HIGHWAYS

Chapter 81 Highway Maintenance

Payrolls	$ 4,645.60
Materials	5,131.34
Equipment hire	4,572.92
	$ 14,349.86

Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance

Materials	$2,999.99

Chapter 90 Berkley-Dighton Bridge Repairs

Charles Callahan Co., Contractor	$ 6,017.62
Town of Dighton, advt. bridge closed	1.25
Globe Newspaper Co., advt. proposals	9.60
New England Road Builders Ass'n, advt. proposals	3.60
	$ 6,032.07

Burt Street Oiling and Sanding

Payrolls	$ 172.90
Equipment hire	267.00
Materials	58.40
	$ 498.30

Road Machinery Account

Joseph H. Babbitt, grinding	$ 11.50
Berkley General Store, gas, oil, kerosene	6.40
Robert C. Flint, repairing scraper	25.00
Manny's Hardware Co., rope, shovels, axes, etc.	26.88
The Pierce Hardware Co., chain link fence	18.36
Silva's Shell Gas. Station, fuel oil	.48
Waldron Hardware Co., scythe stone	.50
	$ 89.12

Berkley-Dighton Bridge Expense

Joseph H. Babbitt, salary bridgetender	$	360.00
Town of Dighton:		
Moving steel plates		9.48
Paid for electric service		3.60
	$	373.08

Snow Removal and Sanding

Payrolls:		
Supervision	$	37.00
Labor		100.13
Equipment hire		184.50
	$	321.63

Street Lights

Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant	$	99.84

Totals of Maintenance Accounts Combined and Itemized

a. Salaries and Wages

Lewis W. Ashley, Highway Surveyor:	
$1 per hr.	$1,660.50
Labor at 90c per hour:	
Joseph M. Almeida, Jr., 148 hrs.	133.20
George R. Babbitt, 67½ hrs.	60.75
John W. Barrow, Jr., 14 hrs.	12.60
Antone S. DeMoura, 14 hrs.	12.60
George Faria, 8½ hrs.	7.65
John Fernandes, 16½ hrs.	14.85
Robert C. Flint, 10 hrs.	9.00
Francis E. Fournier, 26½ hrs.	23.85
Walter I. Freiwald, 25 hrs.	22.50
Joseph O. Freeman, 5 hrs.	4.50
Joseph Gouveia, 24 hrs.	21.60
Stanley F. Hadro, 162 hrs.	145.80
Nathan W. Holmes, 48 hrs.	43.20
Walter M. Longton, 267 hrs.	240.30
Howard S. Miller, 17 hrs.	15.30
John Moskal, Jr., 334 hrs.	300.60
Paul J. Moskal, 164 hrs.	147.60
Calvin C. Overlock, 14 hrs.	12.60
Elmer W. Perry, 16½ hrs.	14.85

Richard A. Perry, 14 hrs.		12.60	
Frederick A. Reed, 581 hrs.		522.90	
Antone Rose, 1,518½ hrs.		1,366.65	
Francis A. Rose, 7 hrs.		6.30	
Lawrence Rose, 12 hrs.		10.80	
Richard H. Senechal, 65 hrs.		58.50	
Merle J. E. Stetson, 36¾ hrs.		33.08	
Alfred S. Whippee, 12½ hrs.		11.25	
Edward B. White, 33 hrs.		29.70	
			4,955.63

b. Equipment Hire

Lewis W. Ashley:			
Truck hire, 1,173 hrs.	$1,173.00		
Plow, 5 hrs. at $3	15.00		
Plow, 41½ hrs. at $3.50	145.25		
		$ 1,333.25	
George R. Babbitt:			
Truck hire, 39½ hrs. at $1	$ 39.50		
Plow, 28 hrs. at $3.50	98.00		
		137.50	
Town of Berkley, scraper, 76 hrs. at 25c		19.00	
Joseph Fernandes, truck, 21½ hrs. at $1		21.50	
Francis E. Fournier, tractor, 21½ hrs. at $2.60		55.90	
Haworth Tree Experts, saw, 18 hrs. at $3		54.00	
Warren A. Holmes:			
Truck, 15 hrs. at $1	$ 15.00		
Plow, 33 hrs. at $3.50	115.50		
		130.50	
Irving A. Howes, shovel, 62 hrs. at $7		434.00	
Macomber Bros.:			
Truck, 16 hrs. at $3	$ 48.00		
Truck, 64 hrs. at $3.50	224.00		
		272.00	
Rufus Macomber:			
Loader, 8 hrs. at $1.75	$ 14.00		
Loader, 12 hrs. at $3.50	42.00		
Truck, 8 hrs. at $1.75	14.00		
Truck, 12 hrs. at $3.50	42.00		
		112.00	

Antone Marshall, truck, 38 hrs. at $3		114.00	
McCabe Sand & Gravel Co.:			
grader, 53 hrs. at $5.50		291.50	
Paul J. Moskal, truck, 12 hrs. at $1		12.00	
Calvin C. Overlock, plow, 14 hrs. at $3.50		49.00	
Richard A. Perry, plow, 14 hrs. at $3.50		49.00	
Antone Rose, truck, 16 hrs. at 80c		12.80	
Joseph D. Rose, truck, 8 hrs. at $1		8.00	
St. Germain & Son:			
Trailer tractor, 5 hrs. at $10		50.00	
Severino & Son:			
Loader, 24 hrs. at $3.50	$ 84.00		
Truck, 24 hrs. at $3.50	84.00		
		168.00	
Frank Silvia, truck, 32 hrs. at $3		96.00	
Joseph Simmons, truck, 6 hrs. at $3.50		21.00	
City of Taunton, roller, 21.85 hrs. at $2.50		54.62	
Thomas Bros., grader:			
31 hrs. at $7	$217.00		
123 hrs. at $7.50	922.50		
		1,139.50	
Winston Weston, bulldozer, 57 hrs. at $5.50		313.50	
			4,948.57

c. Materials

Allen Hatch, 5 locust posts		$ 5.00	
Independent Coal Tar Co.:			
Asphalt	$2,874.35		
Tar	346.23		
		3,220.58	
Mack Construction Co., sand patch		102.61	
Manny's Hardware Co., staples, paint, etc.		7.92	
McCabe Sand & Gravel Co.:			
Sand and gravel	$ 179.31		
41 yds. sand, spread	75.85		
		255.16	
New England Metal Culvert Co.		93.24	
The Pierce Hardware Co.:			
Calcium chloride, etc.		47.20	
Antone Rose, 5 locust posts		5.00	
Sherry Corp., bituminous conc. mix		12.00	
Thomas Bros., cold patch		28.28	

Tri-City Concrete Co., sand spread	2,029.81	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., tar	2,453.03	
Waldron Hardware Co., cement, etc.	5.75	
		8,265.58

d. Recapitulation

Salaries and wages	$ 4,955.63	
Equipment hire	4,948.57	
Materials	8,265.58	
		$ 18,169.78
Chapter 81 Highway Maintenance	$ 14,349.86	
Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance	2,999.99	
Burt Street Oiling and Sanding	498.30	
Snow Removal and Sanding	321.63	
		$ 18,169.78

5. CHARITIES AND VETERANS' BENEFITS

Welfare Board Salaries	$ 150.00	
A. D. C. Administration, Federal Grants	8.65	
O. A. A. Administration, Federal Grants	150.97	
Welfare Administration	950.10	
Total spent for administration		$ 1,259.72

Itemized Payments

Margaret L. Adams, clerk:			
Salary $30 month		$ 240.00	
Harold G. Ashley, salary, welfare board		50.00	
Ruth Avery, clerk:			
Salary, $37.50 per month		150.00	
Albert Bindon:			
Salary, welfare board	$ 50.00		
Salary, supervisor, $50 per month	600.00		
Mileage	63.00		
Postage and phone	.87		
		713.87	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms		8.44	
Holmes Print Shop:			
Printed stamped envelopes		20.66	
John P. Pilling, salary, welfare board		50.00	

Social Service Index		10.00	
Sullivan's Office Supply Co., paper, etc.		16.75	
			$ 1,259.72
Temporary Aid, Aid			
Cash Grants, temporary aid			$ 1,223.33
Cash Grants, disability assistance			13.48
Groceries and provisions:			
Berkley General Store	$	20.00	
Market Basket		30.00	
Weir Cash Market		59.95	
			109.95
Miscellaneous:			
Ernest R. Flint, opening grave	$	17.00	
Dagen Funeral Home		100.00	
			$ 117.00
Other Cities and Towns:			
Town of Dighton	$	651.50	
Town of Norton		21.66	
City of Taunton		841.36	
			1,514.52
Total, Temporary Aid			$ 2,978.28
Aid to Dependent Children, Aid			
Federal Grant Account, Caash Grants			$ 2,765.31
Town Appropriation, Cash Grants			3,268.32
Total spent for A. D. C., Aid			$ 6,033.63
Old Age Assistance, Aid			
Federal Grant Account, Cash Grants			$ 2,765.31
Town Appropriation, payments			18,302.76
Total, O. A. A., Aid			$ 33,481.15
O. A. A., Aid, Payments Combined			
Cash Grants		$ 32,386.26	
Other Cities and Towns:			
Town of Acushnet	$ 150.47		
Town of Dighton	303.27		
Town of Easton	90.25		
Town of Fairhaven	376.71		
Town of Freetown	102.73		
Town of Swansea	71.46		
		1,094.89	
			$ 33,481.15

(Old Age Assistance refunds totalled $168.54 making the net payments, $33,312.61)

Department of Veterans' Services

Administration:		
R. Donald Andrews, Director, salary		$ 100.00
Aid:		
Cash Grants	$ 660.44	
City of Attleboro	35.00	
		695.44
		$ 795.44

6. SCHOOL AND LIBRARIES

School Committee Salaries

Ruth O. Babbitt	$ 58.06
Gil A. Bettencourt	51.94
Helen J. Colpitts	50.00
	$ 160.00

School Department

a. General Expense

John J. Rolfe, Supt., salary		$ 600.00	
Gladys P. Babbitt, Sec., salary		234.00	
Russell E. Combs, Attendance Officer, salary		25.00	
Ajax Busines Equipment Co., stencils		.70	
American School Board Journal, subscriptions		6.75	
Ruth O. Babbitt, convention expenses		4.00	
Helen J. Colpitts, convention expenses		4.00	
Fall River Herald News, advertising		1.80	
Gledhill Bros., Inc., paper		2.45	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, billheads		9.51	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., school phone		52.13	
John J. Rolfe:			
convention expense	$ 2.50		
travel expense, mileage allowance	99.96		
		102.46	

James E. Williams, Postmaster, envelopes	1.76	
Taunton Daily Gazette, advertising	2.38	
Town of Dighton, office phone	32.29	
		$ 1,079.23

b. Teachers' Salaries

Irene O. Braunstein, sub.	$ 32.00	
Marion R. Day, sub.	16.00	
Richard C. Flemming	1,000.00	
Ruth M. Gamson, sub.	69.00	
Anne K. Greene	950.00	
Marjorie E. Hayward, music	586.00	
Kathleen A. Kelliher	897.00	
Catherine M. Kula	1,680.00	
Edna C. Lincoln	2,800.00	
Catherine L. Murphy	2,540.00	
Edna M. Seekell, sub.	12.00	
A. Louise Unsworth	2,900.00	
Marcine G. Weiner	1,487.50	
		14,969.50

c. Text Books and Supplies

Allyn & Bacon, Inc.	$ 21.81	
The Boston Music Company	3.00	
Boston University	16.25	
Burke's Record Shop, records	13.61	
Ginn & Company	378.12	
J. L. Hammett Company	96.75	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	14.55	
The Macmillan Company	9.32	
McCormack-Mathers Publishing Co.	20.28	
McGregor Magazine Agency	7.65	
Rand McNally & Company	183.57	
G. & C. Merriam Company	5.59	
John C. Moore Corporation	3.03	
Noble & Noble Publishers, Inc.	10.90	
Silver Burdett Company	14.46	
L. W. Singer Company, Inc.	10.21	
Whitmarsh Music Co.	8.74	
Robert A. Wilcox Co.	63.45	
The John C. Winston Company	16.13	
World Book Company	21.95	
		919.37

d. Janitors' Salaries

Horace Clough	$ 259.98	
Russell E. Combs	1,819.86	
Wendell D. Conant	7.50	
Laurence B. Swift	16.00	
		2,103.34

e. Fuel and Light

Church Coal Company (refund $309.08, net payment $976.58)	$ 1,285.66	
Pacific Oil Company	332.40	
Anthony Rose, wood	57.00	
Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant	85.32	
		1,760.38

f. Tuition

Town of Dighton	$ 6,949.50	
Town of Lakeville	4.20	
City of Taunton	46.20	
		6,999.90

g. Transportation

Horace Clough, sick children	$ 1.86	
Russell E. Combs, sick children	18.18	
Clarence C. Trenouth (refund $36, net payment $9,852.00)	9,888.00	
		9,908.04

h. Maintenance, Buildings and Grounds (includes janitors' supplies)

Aborn Chemical Industries, wax, sealer, mops	$ 46.62
American Glass Co.	11.00
Charles G. Bettencourt, cutting pipe	5.00
Boston Janitors Supply Co., Inc., soap	9.77
K. M. Crawford Co., polish, wax	31.34
Emco Electrical Supply, Inc., fixtures, bulbs	168.60
Fourniers' Sweeping Odorant	9.00
Leonard Electric Co.	$ 25.00
Manny's Hardware Co.	36.65
Nu-Brite Chemical Co., Inc., wax, oil	19.70
The Pierce Hardware Co., oil, brush, etc.	36.12
Joaquim Serevino & Son, trucking filling	22.50
Taunton Hardware & Plumbing Supply Co.	2.30

Waldron Hardware Co., paint, polish, etc.	15.94	
Robert A. Wilcox Co., towels, paper	62.90	
Williams Lumber Co., Inc., cutter, plug, etc.	7.51	
		509.95

i. Furniture and Furnishings

Babbitt & Simmons, fountain	$ 130.00	
Burke's Record Shop, record playing unit	58.21	
Town of Dighton, 26 desks	26.00	
The Pierce Hardware Co., extinguishers	24.00	
		238.21

j. School Health

Ella F. Dillingham, School Nurse, salary	$ 450.00	
Charles M. Souza, M.D., School Physician	200.00	
Weir Pharmacy	14.04	
		664.04

k. Other Expenses

Gil A. Bettencourt, deliver platform	$ 2.00	
Division of the Blind, tune piano	3.50	
J. L. Hammett Co., diplomas	20.85	
Holmes Print Shop, graduation tickets	2.50	
The Pierce Hardware Co., baseballs, bats	18.00	
State Prison, highway school signs	10.00	
A. Louise Unsworth, paid express on signs	1.43	
Allan M. Walker & Co., Inc., insurance	273.04	
		331.32
Total, School Department		$ 39,483.28

School Heating System Engineer

Carl W. Larson		$ 250.00

School Heating System

Babbitt & Simmons, contractor	$ 9,802.70	
Fall River Herald News, advt.	23.43	
Taunton Daily Gazette, advt.	24.99	
(refunds $646.69, net $9,204.43)		$ 9,851.12

School Milk

Roman Dairy Farms, Inc.		$ 405.99

Public Library

Laura M. Swift, Librarian, salary	$	255.00
Russell E. Combs, janitor, salary		212.50
Lucy F. White, janitor, salary		17.50
Maria E. D. Aguas, paid for rock salt		1.95
Church Coal Co.		155.65
Nathaniel Dame & Co., books		180.45
Gaylord Bros., Inc., supplies		18.15
The Holmes Library Associates, books		7.85
Macomber Bros., pine slabs		5.00
Popular Mechanics Magazine		8.00
Laura M. Swift, phone, postage		3.45
Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant		12.00
	$	877.50

Library Basement

Maria E. D. Aguas, paid for curtain rods, materials, etc., per receipted bills	$	47.37
Church Coal Co.		26.35
	$	73.72

Library, Fuel, State Audit

Church Coal Company	$	5.00

Library, Janitor Service, State Audit

Russell E. Combs, 10 days	$	15.00

7. Recreation and Unclassified

State Parks and Reservations	$	140.22
County Retirement Assessments	$	146.02
Town Reports: Holmes Print Shop	$	492.00

Memorial Day

Gil A. Bettencourt, grinding and painting grave markers	$	3.00
William B. Mitchell, plants		34.45
The Seeley Co., flags		22.50
	$	59.95

Building at Myricks Expense

Percy L. Baldwin:				
salary, custodian	$	25.00		
covering well, materials and labor		7.75		
			$	32.75

Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant		9.99
Allan M. Walker & Co., Inc., insurance		187.62
	$	230.36

Honor Roll

Charles G. Bettencourt, mowing lawn	$	22.00
The Wayside Florist, filled basket		5.00
Margaret E. Young, wreath		2.00
	$	29.00

Workmen's Compensation Insurance

J. R. Tallman & Co., Inc.	$	356.59

Unpaid Bills of Previous Years

Cemetery Dept., 20 grave markers, John Berek	$	17.00
Fire Dept., rent and gas, Berkley Common Garage		15.48
Health Dept., City of Fall River, hospital		6.00
Temporary Aid, Mass. General Hospital		90.00
Highway Dept., brush killer, Nu-Brite Chemical Co., Inc.		7.40
	$	135.88

Care of Veterans' Graves

E. Roy Colpitt	$	10.00

8. CEMETERIES

E. H. Allen Fund Income			$ 42.65		
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds Income			141.75	$	184.40
Ernest R. Flint:					
1949 care of lots, 36 hrs.	$	32.40			
1951 truck hire, 17 hrs.		17.00			
			$ 49.40		
John B. Flint, labor 1951, 28½ hrs.			25.65		
Manuel Martin, Jr.:					
1950 care of lots, 57 hrs.	$	51.30			
1951 care of lots, 17½ hrs.		15.75			
			67.05		
Wojciech Pysz, 1950 care of lots, 47 hrs.			42.30	$	184.40

Cemetery Appropriation

Ernest R. Flint, 41½ hrs. at 90c	$ 37.35
Manuel Martin, Jr., 3 hrs. at 90c	2.70
Alphonse R. Morel, Jr., 25¾ hrs. at 50c	12.88
Richard A. Perry, power scythe, 7 hrs. at 75c	5.25
George Silva, mowing, 8 hrs. at $5	40.00
	$ 98.18

9. INTEREST

Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co., discount on anticipation highway reimbursement loan	$ 111.09

10. MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

The First National Bank of Boston, anticipation revenue loan	$ 20,000.00
Middleborough Trust Company, anticipation highway reimbursement loan	$ 13,550.00

11. AGENCY

County Tax	$ 2,924.25
Proceeds of Dog Licenses, paid County	$ 374.00

12. TRUST

James D. Dillingham Fund,		
bequest invested	$ 3,000.00	
dividends deposited	42.00	
		$ 3,042.00
Federal Withholding Taxes		$ 3,029.64
Blue Cross		$ 24.68
County Retirement		$ 247.28

13. INVESTMENT

Giles Leach Fund, income deposited in savings	$ 63.00

14. REFUNDS

Real Estate taxes, 1948, abated after payment:	
Agnes M. Johnson / Jennie Barrows	$ 4.40
Personal taxes, 1949, overpayment:	
John Moskal, paid twice	92.18

Real Estate taxes 1949, abated after payment:		
Agnes M. Johnson / Jennie Barrows	4.40	
Real Estate taxes 1950, overpayment:		
Charles Potter / R. I. Hospital Trust Co.	2.95	
Poll taxes 1951, abated after payment:		
Walton W. Farmer	2.00	
Joseph Mazzola	2.00	
Real Estate taxes 1951, abated after payment:		
George A. Card / Manuel Alves	2.90	
Real Estate taxes 1951, overpayment:		
Roy M. Huntley	.40	
Warren C. Pilling	32.40	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1950, abated after payment:		
John L. Babbitt	2.21	
Joseph Fernandes	.53	
Manuel Fernandes, Jr.	1.09	
Josephine A. Gilmore	1.47	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1950, overpayment:		
Charles E. Harrison, Sr., paid twice	4.42	
Robert H. Hunter, Jr., paid twice	2.00	
Stuart M. Hunter, paid twice	2.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1951, abated after payment:		
James A. F. Allen	6.62	
Harold G. Ashley	2.31	
Hilda P. Dagenais	1.28	
John M. Hathaway	12.88	
Blanche E. S. Trzcinski	.73	
Clara Victurine	21.86	
Licenses and permits, overpaid,		
Albert Bindon	2.00	
Interest and costs overpaid:		
Real Estate taxes 1949:		
Jennie Barrows, demand 35c, interest 23c	.58	
Real Estate taxes 1950:		
Susie McCrady / Wilbur J. McCrady, interest	2.99	
Carrie L. B. White, interest	3.07	
Worc. Co. Inst. for Savings, interest	.33	
Real Estate taxes 1951 interest:		
Edward Nunes	.48	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1950 interest:		
Charles E. Harrison, Sr.	.07	
Robert H. Hunter, Jr.	.06	
Stuart M. Hunter	.06	
		$ 212.67

Recapitulation of 1951 Cash Payments

1. General Government:		
Moderator's Salary	$ 20.00	
Selectmen's Salaries	400.00	
Selectmen's Expenses	46.88	
State Audits	417.90	
Auditor's Salary	55.00	
Auditor's Expense	22.80	
Treasurer's Salary	500.00	
Treasurer's Expense	399.71	
Tax Title Expense	126.28	
Collector's Petty Cash	50.00	
Colector's Salary	500.00	
Collector's Expense	354.49	
Assessors' Salaries	1,100.00	
Assessors' Expense	161.46	
Town Counsel	135.00	
Town Clerk's Salary	150.00	
Town Clerk's Fees	75.00	
Town Clerk's Expense	22.89	
Elections	76.50	
Registrations	238.74	
Town Hall Expense	267.69	
		$ 5,120.34
2. Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Deaprtment	$ 500.19	
Police Department, Greyhound Ass'ns.	500.00	
Fire Department	485.70	
Sealer Weights and Measures	60.92	
Moth Department	425.00	
Dutch Elm Beetle Control	199.74	
Tree Department	298.50	
Dog Officer	134.30	
		2,604.35
3. Health and Sanitation:		
County Hospital Assessment	$ 3,931.26	
Board of Health Expense	637.50	
Mosquito Control	25.00	
		4,593.76

4. Highways and Bridges:			
Chap. 81 Highway Maintenance	$	14,349.86	
Chap. 90 Highway Maintenance		2,999.99	
Chap. 90 Bridge Repairs		6,032.07	
Burt Street Oiling and Sanding		498.30	
Road Machinery Account		89.12	
Berkley-Dighton Bridge Expense		373.08	
Snow Removal and Sanding		321.63	
Streets Lights		99.84	
			24,763.89
5. Charities and Veterans' Benefits:			
Welfare Board Salaries	$	150.00	
A.D.C. Administration, Federal Grants		8.65	
O.A.A. Administration, Federal Grants		150.97	
Welfare Administration		950.10	
Temporary Aid, Aid		2,978.28	
A.D.C. Aid, Federal Grants		2,765.31	
A.D.C. Aid, Town Appropriation		3,268.32	
O.A.A. Aid, Federal Grants		15,178.39	
O.A.A. Aid, Town Appropriation		18,302.76	
Department of Veterans' Services		795.44	
			44,548.22
6. Schools and Libraries:			
School Committee Salaries	$	160.00	
School Department		39,483.28	
School Heating System Engineer		250.00	
School Heating System		9,851.12	
School Milk		405.99	
Public Library		877.50	
Library Basement		73.72	
Library, Fuel, State Audit		5.00	
Library, Janitor Service, State Audit		15.00	
			51,121.61
7. Recreation and Unclassified:			
State Parks and Reservations	$	140.22	
County Retirement Assessments		146.02	
Memorial Day		59.95	
Town Reports		492.00	
Building at Myricks Expense		230.36	
Honor Roll		29.00	
Workmen's Compensation Insurance		356.59	
Unpaid Bills of Previous Years		135.88	
Care of Veterans' Graves		10.00	
			1,600.02

8. Cemeteries:		
E. H. Allen Fund Income	$ 42.65	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds Income	141.75	
Cemetery Appropriation	98.18	
		282.58
9. Interest		111.09
10. Municipal Indebtedness:		
Anticipation Revenue Loans	$ 20,000.00	
Anticipation Reimbursement Loans	13,550.00	
		33,550.00
11. Agency:		
County Tax	$ 2,924.25	
Dog Licenses	374.00	
		3,298.25
12. Trust:		
James D. Dillingham Fund	$ 3,042.00	
Federal Withholding Taxes	3,029.64	
Blue Cross	24.68	
County Retirement	247.28	
		6,343.60
13. Investment:		
Giles Leach Fund Income		63.00
14. Refunds		212.67
Total Cash Payments 1951		$178,213.38

Statement of Annual Reserve Fund

Town Appropriation		$ 500.00
Transfers by Finance Committee:		
Auditor's Expense	$ 15.00	
Building at Myricks Expense	55.00	
Aid to Highways, Chapter 81	.21	
Treasurer's Expense	50.00	
Library, Janitor Service, State Audit	15.00	
Library, Fuel, State Audit	5.00	
	$ 140.21	
Unexpended balance to Revenue	359.79	
		$ 500.00

Statement of Town Debt

School Remodeling Loan 1951	$ 16,000.00
Anticipation Reimbursement Loan due 1952	18,900.00
	$ 34,900.00

Statements of Trust and Investment Accounts

The Giles Leach Fund

Balance Jan. 1, 1951	$ 2,072.01	
Interest and dividends	60.96	
		$ 2,132.97
Correction, 1950 dividends	$ 1.50	
Balance Dec. 31, 1951	2,131.47	
		$ 2,132.97

The Edwin H. Allen Cemetery Fund, General Care

Balance Jan. 1, 1951	$ 1,135.35	
Interest	22.81	
		$ 1,158.16
Withdrawals for care	$ 42.65	
Balance Dec. 31, 1951	1,115.51	
		$ 1,158.16

Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds

Balance Jan. 1, 1951	$ 5,506.53	
Interest	109.17	
		$ 5,615.70
Withdrawals for care	$ 141.75	
Balance Dec. 31, 1951	5,473.95	
		$ 5,615.70

James D. Dillingham Perpetual Care Fund

Balance Jan. 1, 1951	$ 3,000.00	
Interest and dividends	42.32	
		$ 3,042.32
Adjustments, dividends prepaid on paid-up shares	$ 17.24	
Balance Dec. 31, 1951	3,025.08	
		$ 3,042.32

Post-War Rehabilitation Fund

Balance Jan. 1, 1951	$ 10,940.67	
Increase in redemption value of securities in 1951	351.48	
Balance Dec. 31, 1951		$ 11,292.15

In 1951 $5,000 was voted from this fund. As the bonds accrue in redemption value on Dec. 1, the notice of intention to redeem was not given until Dec. 2, 1951, and, as 30 days notice is required on Series F Savings Bonds, the amount was not received in 1951. By holding the bonds redeemed until after the first of December, the town received $78.00 more tha nif they had been redeemed before that date.

Statement of Tax Titles

Balance Jan. 1, 1951, 38 titles	$ 1,155.03	
1 title taken in 1951	128.07	
Subsequent taxes certified in 1951	229.94	
		$ 1,513.04
Redemptions in 1951, 1 title	$ 35.19	
Balance Dec. 31, 1951, 38 titles	1,477.85	
		$ 1,513.04

Statement of Tax Possessions

Balance Jan. 1, 1951, 8 possessions	$ 500.41
Balance Dec. 31, 1951, 8 possessions	$ 500.41

List of Tax Possessions

Former Owners	*Location of Land*	*Book Value*
Caswell et al	Bear Swamp, off Plain St.	$ 58.41
G. E. White	Off Jerome St.	57.54
J. Correiro	Bear Swamp, off Plain St.	27.92
A. H. Thurston	Assonet Beach	140.00
T. H. Parker	Off Plain St.	41.17
E. P. Dean	Off Bay View Ave.	21.36
John Hart	Off Plain St.	114.80
Edmond O. Phillips	Off Jerome St.	39.21
		$ 500.41

TOWN OF BERKLEY

BALANCE SHEET — DECEMBER 31, 1951

General Accounts

ASSETS			
Cash			$ 56,192.03
Accounts Receivable:			
Taxes:			
Levy of 1948:			
Real Estate		$ 34.76	
Levy of 1949:			
Personal Property	$ 62.92		
Real Estate	125.62		
		188.54	
Levy of 1950:			
Poll	$ 12.00		
Personal Property	517.81		
Real Estate	6,194.08		
		6,723.89	
Levy of 1951:			
Poll	$ 248.00		
Personal Property	917.27		
Real Estate	11,789.38		
		12,954.65	
			19,901.84
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise:			
Levy of 1949		$ 8.96	
Levy of 1950		247.86	
Levy of 1951		2,370.71	
Bankruptcy Proceedings		7.58	
			2,635.11
Moth Assessments:			
Levy of 1950			15.00
Tax Titles			1,477.85
Tax Possessions			500.41
Departmental:			
Slaughtering Fees			302.75
Aid to Highways:			
State:			
Chapter 81		$ 11,275.00	
Chapter 90		1,741.19	
County:			
Chapter 90		1,370.60	
			14,386.79
Overlay Deficit:			
Levy of 1947			44.00
Appropriation from Post War Rehabilitation Fund			5,000.00
			$100,455.78

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES			
Temporary Loan, Anticipation of Reimbursement			$ 18,900.00
Payroll Deductions:			
Federal Withholding Taxes	$ 356.81		
Blue Cross	7.02		
		363.83	
School Lunch Program			9.60
Overestimates 1951:			
State Parks and Reservations	$ 22.88		
County Tax	245.05		
County Hospital Assessment	135.67		
		403.60	
Tailings			102.83
Road Machinery Fund			69.30
Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund			92.00
Federal Grants:			
Aid to Dependent Children:			
Administration	$ 19.44		
Aid	484.96		
Old Age Assistance:			
Administration	7.17		
Aid	4,146.38		
		4,657.95	
Old Age Recovery			33.85
Unexpended Special Appropriation Balances:			
Tax Title Expense	$ 68.67		
Assessors' Salaries 1948	300.00		
Assessors' Salaries 1949	60.00		
Assessors' Special Equipment	10.19		
Town Hall Repairs	5.52		
Fire Department Ladders	16.60		
Bryant Street Dump	50.00		
Chapter 81 Highway Maintenance 1951	.14		
Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance 1951	.01		
Chapter 90 Bridge Repairs	1,467.93		
Land Damage and Counsel Fees, Padelford and Porter Streets	134.56		
Porter Street Land Taking 1950	40.00		
Well at Berkley School	200.00		
Honor Roll	85.72		
School Heating System Engineer	50.00		
School Heating System	8,795.57		
		11,284.91	
School Heating System—Authorized from Post War Rehabilitation Fund			5,000.00
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus			2,392.43
Overlays Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:			
Levy of 1948	$ 34.76		
Levy of 1949	188.54		
Levy of 1950	109.55		
Levy of 1951	366.39		
		699.24	
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:			
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	$ 2,635.11		
Special Assessment, Moth	15.00		
Tax Title and Tax Possession	1,978.26		
Departmental, Slaughtering Fees	302.75		
		4,931.12	
Surplus Revenue			51,515.12
			$100,455.78

Debt Accounts

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$ 16,000.00	School Remodeling Loan 1951	$ 16,000.00
	$16,000.00		$ 16,000.00

Trust and Investment Accounts

Trust and Investment Funds:		Ciles Leach Investment Fund	$ 2,131.47
Savings Deposits and Securities	$ 23,038.16	Edwin H. Allen Cemetery Fund	1,115.51
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	8,499.03
		Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	11,292.15
	$ 23,038.16		$ 23,038.16

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCIS F. G. ANDREWS, Treasurer

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Berkley Common Cemetery

Date	Name of Fund	Principal	Balance Jan. 1, 1951	Interest Received	Expended for Care of Lots	Balance Dec. 31, 1951
1898	Philip C. Porter	$ 100.00	$ 104.24	$ 2.07	$ 6.30†‡°$	100.01
1900	William Babbitt	100.00	102.69	2.03	2.25‡	102.47
1906	Calvin T. Crane	150.00	153.42	3.05	2.70‡	153.77
1906	Susan H. Allen	200.00	244.03	4.85	4.50‡	244.38
1908	Thomas Terry	100.00	104.11	2.06	5.85†‡°	100.32
1909	Samuel C. Norcutt	100.00	102.58	2.03	2.25‡	102.36
1910	W. Burt & A. Simms	100.00	106.89	2.07	8.10†‡°	100.86
1910	Rev. Thomas Andros	200.00	222.56	4.42	4.50‡	222.48
1914	Asa W. Reed	200.00	206.20	4.11	2.70‡	207.61
1915	James Macomber	100.00	102.96	2.03	2.70‡	102.29
1916	J. Haskins & E. Burt	100.00	194.76	3.90		198.66
1918	J. Hervey, E. Hervey et al	200.00	210.22	4.14	9.90†‡°	204.46
1920	Abail B. Crane	210.00	218.13	4.30	11.70†‡°	210.73
1922	Witherell & Seekell	100.00	102.18	2.03	1.80‡	102.41
1922	Stephen Corey	100.00	102.25	2.03	1.80‡	102.48
1923	Cummings & Howard	100.00	102.21	2.05		104.26
1925	Ebenezer D. Briggs	150.00	160.80	3.13	9.45†‡°	154.48
1925	Capt. Tamerlane Burt	150.00	169.07	3.38	3.60‡	168.83
1926	Herbert A. Perry	150.00	158.49	3.13	4.50‡	157.12
1927	Edward L. Smith	100.00	163.94	3.28		167.22
1929	Horace N. Macomber	100.00	102.25	2.05		104.30
1931	Albert French	200.00	204.41	4.06	3.60‡	204.87
1932	Charles E. French	150.00	153.23	3.05	2.70‡	153.58
1933	Dean Westgate	200.00	207.59	4.10	8.10†‡°	203.59
1938	Capt. John Cummings	100.00	102.30	2.03	3.60†°	100.73
1939	Capt. Joseph Sanford	200.00	209.29	4.13	8.10†‡°	205.32
1940	B. & A. Williams	100.00	102.04	2.03	1.80‡	102.27
1941	Frances A. Phillips	100.00	117.08	2.35		119.43
1942	Charles Westgate	100.00	102.19	2.03	1.80‡	102.42
1943	Harry E. Howland	100.00	112.57	2.25		114.82
1945	William P. Wood	200.00	205.57	4.09	3.60‡	206.06
1945	Burt & French	200.00	204.93	4.07	3.60‡	205.40
1947	Barnard Norcutt	100.00	102.21	2.03	1.80‡	102.44
	PRIVATE CEMETERIES					
1916	Paull Bros.	200.00	312.38	6.14	12.60†‡	305.92
1923	Andrew J. Webster	200.00	236.76	4.69	5.85‡	235.60
		$ 4,960.00	$ 5,506.53	$109.17	$141.75	$ 5,473.95

† denotes 1949 care ‡ denotes 1950 care ° denotes 1951 care

Bills for care of lots have been late in coming in from the Commissioners; in 1951, bills for some lots for 1949 care were put in for payment. So far as is known, all bills through 1951 have now been paid. Because of the small amounts to be earned and the time required, apparently there is a lack of interest in the care of lots in the cemetery on the part of the commissioners; this is further shown by the two resignations in 1951, leaving one member on the board. I would recommend to the townspeople that a committee be appointed to inquire into cemetery operations; one view that might be explored is the election of an unpaid commission who would be empowered to appoint one person as a caretaker or sexton to have the full care of the cemetery subject to their supervision. He would receive a set salary from the town, to be paid by appropriation and from receipts from interest on perpetual care funds, and would turn in to the town all receipts such as those for opening graves, special work on lots, and the like. The commissioners should also require this person to keep a master plan on which would be entered the location of all graves within lots so that no difficulties along this line would be encountered as in the past. Many improvements should be made in relation to the Berkley Common Cemetery; it has been almost criminally neglected in the past.

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE

Dec. 31, 1951

To the Board of Selectmen
Town of Berkley

Gentlemen:

As your Chief of Police I submit the following report for the year of 1951.

Arrests for Crimes in Berkley

Crimes against Persons

Assault with a Dangerous Weapon	1
Threats	1

Crimes against Property

Larceny	1
Putting in fear a person for the purpose of stealing	3

Crimes against Public Order, etc.

Vagrancy	1
Illegal possession and setting off of fireworks	1
Registering bets on horses	2
Maintaining Gaming Nuisance	1
Allowing premises to be used for gaming	1
Being concerned in registering bets on horses	1
Insane person	2
Speeding	1
Contempt of Court	1

Summoned to Court

No inspection sticker	4
Failing to keep to the right	3
Operating negligently	2
Failing to stop for police officer	2
Failing to make self known after causing damage	1
Operating after license had expired	1
Speeding	2

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Auto accidents (with injuries)	3
Auto accidents (property damage)	13
Breaks and thefts reported and investigated	9
Car transfers recorded	303
Misc. complaints reported and investigated	41
Tickets given for defective equipment	164
Pistol permits issued	21
Summons served	7
Dogs killed by autos	5
Plates picked up for the registry	1
Recommended suspension of license	5
Picked up escaped person	1

We have assisted the Registry on Periodic Inspection checkups. We patrolled the Town on the Fourth of July, Labor Day, Halloween, and New Year's. During Dog Racing period, Police Officers directed traffic at various intersections for a period of 100 days.

The Berkley Police Association has maintained our present equipment and at various times added to it.

I have taken great pleasure in serving you as Chief of Police and I hope that I have been worthy of my appointment. I thank you and the Police Officers for your excellent cooperation in carrying out the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. ASHLEY,

Chief of Police.

TAX LIST FOR 1951

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Avery, Vincent	4.35		4.35
Adams, Vernon		17.40	17.40
Adams, William L.	13.05	118.90	131.95
Aguas, Maria and Joan and Antonia		191.40	191.40
Aguas, Ade O.	5.51		5.51
Allan, Donald and Wilma		.46.40	46.40
Allen, James and Audrey		75.40	75.40
Allen, John M.		178.06	178.06
Allen, Joseph and Louise		31.90	31.90
Alves, Manuel and Lena		75.40	75.40
Ames, Frank and Ruth		136.30	136.30
Ames, Alijah		116.00	116.00
Anderson, Percy and Helen	72.50	216.05	288.55
Anderson, Alfred and Julia L.		40.60	40.60
Andrews, Agnes		83.52	83.52
Andrews, Francis and Julia	4.35	149.35	153.70
Anthony, Ralph and Myra		62.35	62.35
Anthony, Myra D.		52.20	52.20
Anthony, Myra D.		8.70	8.70
Anthony, Myra D. and Others		40.89	40.89
Anthony, William and Edith		1,032.40	1,032.40
Antonio, Agusta F.		5.80	5.80
Ashley, Blanche M.		58.00	58.00
Arnold, Stanley and Evelyn		174.00	174.00
Ashley, Harold and Verna		5.80	5.80
Ashley, Harold and Ruth		31.90	31.90
Ashley, Herbert M.	18.85	12.18	31.03
Ashley, Herbert and Clara		168.20	168.20
Ashley, LeRoy G.		1.74	1.74
Ashley, Lillian		158.05	158.05
Ashley, Verna and E. Whitman		49.30	49.30
Ashley, Miriam		186.18	186.18
Ashley, Lewis W.	2.90		2.90
Aspinall, Herbert	46.40	117.74	164.14
Auruda, Henry and Agnes		13.34	13.34
Babbitt, C. Dexter		9.57	9.57
Babbitt, Joseph H.	4.35	240.70	245.05
Babbitt, Marion L.		263.90	263.90
Babbitt, George R.		201.55	201.55
Babbitt, Milton and Ruth		133.40	133.40
Babbitt, J. P.		87.00	87.00
Babbitt, Lois W.		6.38	6.38

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Babbitt, Louise		4.35	4.35
Babbitt, Milton		5.80	5.80
Babbitt, Russell and Richard		5.80	5.80
Babbitt, Rollin H., Jr.		9.57	9.57
Babbitt, Russel	40.60	168.20	208.80
Babbitt, Rollin H.		314.07	314.07
Bailey, Gwendolyn I. C. and Charles Peterson		224.46	224.46
Baldwin, Percy and Mable		139.20	139.20
Barrow, Mary		344.52	344.52
Barrow, John	34.80		34.80
Barrow, Lawrence	1.74	117.45	119.19
Barrows, Jennie		5.80	5.80
Barrows, Raymond and Jessie		20.30	20.30
Barboza, Manuel and Antoinette		147.32	147.32
Barboza's Package Store, Inc.		58.00	58.00
Barker, Merle T.		191.40	191.40
Barrett, Edwin and Viola		133.40	133.40
Barton, Jacob and Cora		73.95	73.95
Barton, Jacob	6.09	5.80	11.89
Bassett, Albert		29.00	29.00
Bassett, Arthur		1.16	1.16
Bay State Beagle Club, Inc.		223.88	223.88
Belcher, Martin and Grace		8.70	8.70
Bennett, William		29.00	29.00
Bettencourt, Gil and Clara		162.40	162.40
Bergstrom, Martin E.		140.65	140.65
Bettencourt, Marion		85.26	85.26
Bindon, Albert W. J. and Ethel G.		48.43	48.43
Bindon, Albert and Sarah	2.90	142.68	145.58
Blanchette, Hervey and Lena	136.30	542.30	678.60
Bordon, Howard C.		2.90	2.90
Boshco, Eleanor C.		295.80	295.80
Bonvie, Hannah E.		46.40	46.40
Bourke, Michael		8.70	8.70
Boyce, Borden and Bertha M.		18.85	18.85
Boyce, Enoch		11.68	11.68
Braese, Thomas and Mary		153.70	153.70
Bradley, Tudor W. and Jessie H.		191.40	191.40
Brailey, Elsie		75.11	75.11
Brailey, Ernest and Harriett		31.90	31.90
Brennan, Edward and Alice	11.60	288.84	300.44
Briggs, Merton L.		63.80	63.80
Briggs, Alvin E.		112.23	112.23
Browning, George and Ada		50.75	50.75

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Brightman, Iva		327.70	327.70
Brightman, John	69.60	2.03	71.63
Brightman, John		105.85	105.85
Brown, Charles and Victoria	71.63	147.90	219.53
Brown, George S.		150.80	150.80
Brown, Marion and Lily Nyboe		8.70	8.70
Brown, Everett D. and Mary F.		118.90	118.90
Buckley, Harry, Jr. and Winifred M.	5.80	234.90	240.70
Burt, William	2.90		2.90
Burt, Alexander		5.80	5.80
Burt, Helen M.		2.90	2.90
Burbee, J. Ernest and Lillian		46.40	46.40
Bumpus, Ira S. and Doris A.	252.01	306.24	558.25
Cabral, Emanuel		62.06	62.06
Cady, Evelyn and Charles		113.10	113.10
Cambra, Mary	4.35	226.78	231.13
Card, Edward and Inez		40.60	40.60
Card, George A.		2.90	2.90
Caron, Leo J.		52.20	52.20
Chace, Ervine		1.16	1.16
Carpenter, Edwin and Florence		130.50	130.50
Carle, Florence H.		33.35	33.35
Carroll, Frank and Mary		31.90	31.90
Carroll, Frank and Jean		365.40	365.40
Caswell, Carrie		5.80	5.80
Cavalier, William R. and Alpheda R.		110.20	110.20
Chandler, Reginald A. and Mary E.		2.90	2.90
Church, M. E.		12.18	12.18
Churchill, Alice and Others		34.80	34.80
Chester, Roger and Carolyn		149.35	149.35
Chester, Fred and Edith		20.30	20.30
Clough, Harold and Florence		75.40	75.40
Clough, Horace and Marie	10.73	143.55	154.28
Clarke, Harry and Alice		103.82	103.82
Clark, Pearl		56.55	56.55
Clark, Clarence H.		5.80	5.80
Clark, P. J.		5.80	5.80
Clark, Elizabeth	12.18		12.18
Clegg, Damon	69.60	291.45	361.05
Campbell, Blanche	4.35		4.35
Colpitt, E. Roy		6.38	6.38
Colpitts, Norman and Helen J.		166.75	166.75
Costa, Francis, Jr.		5.80	5.80
Conant, Edward W.		226.20	226.20

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Conant, Eva		5.80	5.80
Comerford, Florence		142.68	142.68
Conaty, Robert		23.20	23.20
Coombs, Frank E.		8.70	8.70
Coreio, John		4.35	4.35
Cooper, Joseph P.		427.75	427.75
Correia, Manuel		69.60	69.60
Costa, Antone and Nellie		71.05	71.05
Cochrane, Ralph and Laura		118.90	118.90
Costa, Frank G.		14.50	14.50
Cox, William		63.80	63.80
Craw, Willis		125.86	125.86
Crimlisk, Russell A.	9.57	7.25	16.82
Crimlisk, George	6.38		6.38
Crowningshield, E. A.		6.96	6.96
Cronan, Edward L.		13.92	13.92
Cuddon, Owen F.		11.60	11.60
Cummings, George S.		176.90	176.90
Cummings, L. Clyde		68.15	68.15
Cummings, Mary		22.04	22.04
Cummings, Clarence	4.64		4.64
Cushman, Don A.		.58	.58
Cushman, Beulah		85.55	85.55
Cybulski, Stanley J.		87.00	87.00
Davis, Susan		95.70	95.70
Dary, Flora		2.32	2.32
Dean, Anthony P.		30.74	30.74
Dean, David B.		34.80	34.80
Dean, Lawrence		5.80	5.80
Deane, Theodore		8.70	8.70
Dagenais, Norman and Hilda	71.34	217.79	289.13
DeCosta, Melvin and Betsy		116.00	116.00
Delano, Charles		2.90	2.90
Delano, Florence		55.10	55.10
DeMoranville, William		14.50	14.50
DeMoura, Antone and Margaret	4.35	130.50	134.85
DeAruda, Manuel		2.90	2.90
DeAruda, Manuel and Willeta		5.80	5.80
Dillingham, John and Others		128.18	128.18
Dillingham, John Q.	92.80	402.81	495.61
DeRocha, Verginio		92.80	92.80
DeRocha, Verginio J.		11.60	11.60
Denson, Ernest		5.80	5.80
Doel, William R.		46.40	46.40

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Doel, William R., Jr.		1.45	1.45
Dias, Peter and Mary		5.80	5.80
Doherty, William and Louise		11.60	11.60
Donati, Edward L. and Kathleen A.		8.70	8.70
Donnelly, Edith M.		23.20	23.20
Dow, Estella and Arlon		81.20	81.20
Drake, Carolyn		5.80	5.80
Dulak, Sophie		129.92	129.92
Dulak, Kazimier	8.99	133.40	142.39
Dumber, Helen		2.90	2.90
Dutra, Manuel and Alice		14.50	14.50
Dunn, Margaret		60.90	60.90
Dumais, Louis		11.60	11.60
Eaton, William		26.10	26.10
Edwards, Anna		116.00	116.00
Ellsworth, Charles and Azelda	37.70	197.20	234.90
Falk, Walter and Elsie		136.30	136.30
Faria, Manuel and Virginia	7.25	137.75	145.00
Faria, Mary		129.05	129.05
Farmer, Walton W.		121.80	121.80
Federal Land Bank		316.10	316.10
Fernandes, Joseph	9.57	8.70	18.27
Fernandes, Joseph and Mary		69.60	69.60
Fernandes, Manuel and Dorothy		43.50	43.50
Fernandes, Joseph and Virginia		20.69	20.69
Fernandes, Virginia		185.60	185.60
Fernandes, Manuel and Mary		69.60	69.60
Flint, Fred E.		36.25	36.25
Flint, Herbert J.		5.80	5.80
Flint, Herbert and Mary		28.13	28.13
Flint, John B.		2.90	2.90
Flint, Mary C.		60.90	60.90
Flint, Robert C.		13.05	13.05
Flint, Ernest R.	4.35	8.70	13.05
Finglass, Mary		20.30	20.30
Fournier, Francis and Marietta	188.50	353.22	571.72
Fournier, Francis N. and Edith		62.06	62.06
Freeman, Joseph and Lillian	34.80	92.80	127.60
Frizzado, John and Olive	4.35	101.50	105.85
Furtado, Frank and Madeline		70.18	70.18
Furtado, Joseph and Esther		107.30	107.30
Gagne, Alfred and Marie		69.60	69.60
Gaffney, Harry and Juliette		29.00	29.00
Gaffney, Harry J.		162.40	162.40

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Garcia, Manuel		220.40	220.40
Gilmore, Robert and Josephine		324.80	324.80
Goddu, Arthur and Josephine		5.80	5.80
Goddu, Albert and Olivia		174.00	174.00
Goodwin, Effie S.		101.50	101.50
George, Thomas		15.08	15.08
Green, Ernest	1.16		1.16
Grace, Joseph and George Crimlisk		118.90	118.90
Goff, Henry and Eugenia		139.20	139.20
Gracia, Anthony		162.40	162.40
Goveia, Syril and Christina		108.75	108.75
Guertin, Gerald and Lylah		60.90	60.90
Hadro, John and Mary	3.48	91.35	94.83
Haines, Fannie		172.55	172.55
Hakajavi, Maria		223.14	223.14
Hall, Lydia D.		35.09	35.09
Hall, William F.		87.00	87.00
Hanson, Oscar		5.80	5.80
Harris, Frank and Winifred		8.70	8.70
Harriman and William King		2.90	2.90
Hart, Enos and Fred Austin		23.20	23.20
Hart, Lenore		4.35	4.35
Haskell, Russell and Norine		60.32	60.32
Haskins, Florence and Alice		113.10	113.10
Haskins, Henrey H.		60.90	60.90
Haskins, James and Julius and William		15.08	15.08
Hatch, Allen		192.85	192.85
Hathaway, Harry C.		11.60	11.60
Hathaway, Harry and Winifred	4.35	26.68	30.93
Hathaway, Levi		1.74	1.74
Hathaway, Wilfred		59.74	59.74
Hathaway, Edward and Madeline		236.35	236.35
Hathaway, John	29.00		29.00
Hamilton, Walter, Jr.	60.90		60.90
Hampston, Charles and Ruth	63.80		63.80
Hemmingway, C. W.		5.80	5.80
Heywood, Fred, Jr. and Evelyn		5.80	5.80
Hewitt, George and Lillian		130.50	130.50
Hoard, Rhoda		42.92	42.92
Hoard, Rhoda		176.90	176.90
Holmes, Warren A.	12.76	118.90	131.66
Holmes, Nathen	11.60		11.60
Holmes, Clifton	5.22		5.22
Horbacy, Antone		4.35	4.35

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Houtzager, Marcus and Olga	12.18	171.10	183.28
Hampston, Ruth		26.10	26.10
Howland, Robert		255.20	255.20
Hoxie, David		103.53	103.53
Howland, Jessie and Ruth		130.50	130.50
Huntley, Roy M.		98.60	98.60
Huntley, Bertha		2.90	2.90
Holmes, Clifton and Viola		141.23	141.23
Hogan, William and Bernice		179.80	179.80
Hunter, Robert and Harriett		16.82	16.82
Harmon, Robert B.		41.76	41.76
Hyde, Ralph and Ruth	208.51	388.60	597.11
Ide, Warren and Mary		179.80	179.80
Ide, Warren and Ruth	40.60	349.45	390.05
Jackson, Emma and Ruth Avery		196.62	196.62
Jack, William		126.00	126.00
Jenkins, Burton P.		3.48	3.48
Jones, Benjamin O.		203.00	203.00
Jones, Grace H.		117.45	117.45
Jones, Grace H.		247.08	247.08
Jones, Sybel	12.18	23.20	35.38
Joslin, Harley and Louise		2.90	2.90
Kaye, Joseph and Mary		127.60	127.60
Kendzierski, Alexander		806.78	806.78
Kendzierski, Edward F.	5.80		5.80
Kady, Dorothy W.		98.60	98.60
Kelsey, Andrew H.		81.20	81.20
Kenny, Francis and Kathleen		5.80	5.80
King, Clara		116.00	116.00
Kostka, Frank J. and Sophie		17.40	17.40
King, Preston B. and Grace M.		116.00	116.00
LaFrance, Hilda		110.20	110.20
Laffan, John M.		27.55	27.55
Lane, Edward and Patricia		178.06	178.06
Lee, Lawrence T.		2.90	2.90
Longton, Walter		5.80	5.80
Longton, Mary		59.74	59.74
Lorenz, Werner and Litha		89.90	89.90
Lafaivre, Wilfred and Beatrice		121.80	121.80
Lepage, Joseph and Maria		5.80	5.80
Leonard, Freemont and Olive		133.40	133.40
Lukes, Stephen		121.80	121.80
Lynch, Robert J., Jr.	2.32	40.31	42.63
Lareau, Lucien L.	5.80		5.80

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Mackintosh, Bentley and Florence		121.80	121.80
Macomber, Arthur L.		8.70	8.70
Macomber, Charles H.		58.00	58.00
Macomber, Charles H.		353.80	353.80
Macomber, Charles H.		258.10	258.10
Macomber, Charles H.		29.00	29.00
Macomber, Mary E.		5.80	5.80
Macomber, Clinton		11.60	11.60
Macomber, Clinton and Hazel		36.25	36.25
Macomber, Hazel D.		2.90	2.90
Makepeace, Josephine		201.84	201.84
MacQueen, Clifford and Jennie		89.90	89.90
Marquis, Flora R.		52.20	52.20
Marshell, Mary		73.95	73.95
Marshell, Joseph	19.72		19.72
Macker, Roger and Corinne		165.30	165.30
Martin, Anthony and Hazel		136.88	136.88
Martin, Manuel		174.00	174.00
Martin, William		188.21	188.21
Mawhinney, LeRoy		26.10	26.10
Mazzone, Emnegildo		3.48	3.48
Mazzone, Eugeneio		3.48	3.48
Mazzola, Amelia	5.80	168.20	174.00
Marrion, George		5.80	5.80
McCrady, Susie		143.35	143.35
McCrohn, John, Jr.		18.85	18.85
McCrohn, John and Viola		58.00	58.00
McEnaney, Philip and Margarette		162.40	162.40
McDonald, Norman and Flora		261.00	261.00
McCabe, Allen and Emily		78.30	78.30
McCabe, Allen		63.80	63.80
McCarthy, Callaghan		1.16	1.16
McCarthy, Marion A.		255.20	255.20
McCarthy, Robert and Mary		107.30	107.30
McCormick, Bertha		87.00	87.00
McKenna, Agnes L.		5.80	5.80
Melesky, Roman and Amelia	17.40	44.95	62.25
Melesky, Roman and Amelia		121.80	121.80
Mello, Martin and Mary		2.90	2.90
McHugh, Thomas F.		58.00	58.00
Mendes, Manuel and Louis		40.60	40.60
Meinhold, Russell and Jane		17.40	17.40
Messier, John B.		11.60	11.60
Milko, Samuel	5.51	175.16	180.67

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Miranda, Manuel and Belmira		45.24	45.24
Mitchel, William B.		8.70	8.70
Moore, Clara E.		92.80	92.80
Moniz, William and Janet E.		278.40	278.40
Monterio, Louis and Vineto		58.00	58.00
Moral, Alphonse and Rita		75.40	75.40
Moranville, Harold and Lila		33.35	33.35
Moskal, John and Agnes	101.79	223.30	325.09
Montaup Electric Co.	2,418.60		2,418.60
Mullins, Arthur and Martine		20.30	20.30
Murphy, George B.		29.00	29.00
Murphy, Cornelius		194.30	194.30
Myricks Community Club		5.80	5.80
Neason, James		29.00	29.00
Nunes, Edward and Mary		98.60	98.60
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford R. R. Co.		133.40	133.40
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	81.20		81.20
Nietsch, Lothar	11.60		11.60
Obrien, Fenella		2.32	2.32
Oakes, Gladys		119.77	119.77
Olsson, Eric G.		68.15	68.15
Overlock, Jessie		37.70	37.70
Paige, Jessie M.		89.90	89.90
Paull, Frederick M.		223.88	223.88
Paull, Stewart		113.90	113.90
Paull, Mary		11.92	11.92
Paull, Willard	29.00		29.00
Parrott, Robert and Sarah		5.80	5.80
Peirce, Arthur		55.10	55.10
Peirce, Arthur	22.62		22.62
Peirce, Hattie		127.60	127.60
Peloquin, Raymond E.		69.60	69.60
Perry, Elmer and Helen	4.35	52.20	56.55
Perry, Arnold and Esther		87.00	87.00
Perry, Francis R.		489.23	489.23
Perry, Richard	113.10		113.10
Perry, Jessie and Rose		5.80	5.80
Perry, Mabel		259.26	259.26
Peters, John C.		34.80	34.80
Philbrook, Wayne and Flora		185.60	185.60
Pierce, Ethan A.		11.60	11.60
Peirce, Ethan A.		.87	.87
Pierce, Phoebe		316.10	316.10
Pierce, William C.		30.45	30.45

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Pierce, William C.		11.60	11.60
Pierce, William C.		5.51	5.51
Pierce, Charles		37.70	37.70
Pilling, John and Sarah		145.00	145.00
Pilling, Richard and Dorothy		126.15	126.15
Pilling, Warren and Ruth		34.80	34.80
Pittsley, Lydia		60.90	60.90
Poole, Elmer and Clara		162.40	162.40
Polle, Stanley		150.80	150.80
Potter, Charles		319.00	319.00
Praire, Mary L.		2.90	2.90
Preston, Wallace		80.91	80.91
Pysz, Wojciech and Sophie	13.34	165.30	178.64
Raymond, Emma		92.80	92.80
Reagan, Albert and Eleanor Paull		66.70	66.70
Reed, Frederick and Helen		88.45	88.45
Reed, William V.		100.05	100.05
Reed, William V. and Marjorie		34.80	34.80
Reiser, Elmer and Marjorie		266.80	266.80
Rapoza, Gilbert and Roselina		192.27	192.27
Rapoza, Joseph and Gilbert	33.64		33.64
Remy, Louis P.		66.70	66.70
Reynolds, Wallace L.		160.08	160.08
Rheaume, Harold		3.77	3.77
Rines, George and Gladys		121.80	121.80
Robbins, Arthur E.		83.81	83.81
Rogers, Harold H. and Olive B.		46.40	46.40
Robertson, C. Stewart and Elizabeth		1.45	1.45
Rodueques, Maria		118.90	118.90
Rogers, David and Marion Bettencourt		15.08	15.08
Rogers, William	6.96	11.60	18.56
Roberts, Jean B.		11.60	11.60
Roman, Barney	116.00	406.00	522.00
Roper, Manuel		35.09	35.09
Rose, Antone and Angelina		7.83	7.83
Rose, Manuel		23.20	23.20
Rose, Clara		154.28	154.28
Rose, Harold E.		175.45	175.45
Rose, Benjamin F.		87.00	87.00
Rose, Alfred and Mabel		2.90	2.90
Rose, Frank	4.35	130.20	134.55
Rose, Joseph S.		40.60	40.60
Rose, Mary		37.99	37.99
Rose, Manuel G.		49.30	49.30

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Rose, Richard and Amelia		86.42	86.42
Rose, Joseph	2.90		2.90
Rose, Zona P.		82.65	82.65
Rylands, William and Dorothy		117.45	117.45
Sanborn, Watson		5.80	5.80
Sande, Lars and Viola		29.00	29.00
Sandlin, Lester and Isabella		89.90	89.90
Seeley, George		1.74	1.74
Sellars, Annie		289.42	289.42
Sellars, Freeman	5.80	2.90	8.70
Senechal, Julia		87.00	87.00
Seward, LeLand and Annie		53.65	53.65
Slivinski, Peter	7.25	134.85	142.10
Shea, Catherine G.		340.46	340.46
Shepard, William R.	34.80	149.35	184.15
Sherman, Hannah		156.60	156.60
Shippie, Harold and Nancy		20.30	20.30
Silva, Louis and Elizabeth		185.60	185.60
Silvan, Eino and Margarette		134.85	134.85
Silva, Frank		97.15	97.15
Silvia, Mrs. Manuel		11.60	11.60
Silvia, Manuel and Mary		87.00	87.00
Smith, Arthur		63.80	63.80
Smith, Agusta and Claire		232.00	232.00
Smith, Mary		24.65	24.65
Smith, Blanche		49.30	49.30
Smith, Mary		26.10	26.10
Smith, Samuel and Nellie		11.60	11.60
Smallwood, Albert and Carrie		8.70	8.70
Society of the Congregational		65.25	65.25
Soper, George O.		5.80	5.80
Souza, Marie		84.10	84.10
Souza, Ermelinda and Arnold Silvan		77.72	77.72
Souza, Lional and Martha Bindon		11.60	11.60
Souza, Marion		2.90	2.90
Sprague, Arthur F.		6.96	6.96
Stanley, Jennie and Nettie Quick		14.50	14.50
Staples, Calvin P.	46.40	411.25	457.65
Staples, Percival		.58	.58
Stetson, George W.		87.00	87.00
Stetson, Merle and Althea	10.15	145.00	165.15
Stevenson, William H.		4.35	4.35
Shell Oil Co.	585.56		585.56
Stiles & Hart Brick Co.		133.40	133.40

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Story, Annie		168.20	168.20
Swift, Laura H.		237.80	237.80
Swift, Lawrence		.87	.87
Sykes, Mary		2.90	2.90
Sylvester, Thomas and Helen		147.90	147.90
Sylvester, Jacoppina F.		34.80	34.80
Sylvester, Maynard		43.50	43.50
Sylvain, Joseph and Mary		104.40	104.40
Sylvia, Anthony	2.90	127.60	130.50
Sylvia, Edward and Others		5.80	5.80
Sylvia, Charles and Elviria	7.25	295.80	303.05
Sullivan, Austin	5.80		5.80
Swartz, Beatric		46.40	46.40
Taber, George E. and Helen		75.40	75.40
Taylor, Susie		47.56	47.56
Talbot, Allen		84.10	84.10
Tavares, Antonia C.		22.62	22.62
Tavares, Joseph C.	20.30	247.08	267.38
Tavares, Joseph and Antonia		139.20	139.20
Templeton, Garland	10.15	20.59	30.74
Templeton, Garland		40.60	40.60
Templeton, Garland		20.30	20.30
Templeton, Garland		52.20	52.20
Tew, Frank		1.16	1.16
Tharrett, Dallas J. and Rita M.		98.60	98.60
Tichon, Hervey		26.10	26.10
Tirrell, Annie S. D.		2.90	2.90
Tolly, E. and Lloyd Thompkins		29.00	29.00
Taunton Gas Co.	58.00		58.00
Trenouth, Frances		176.90	176.90
Trefy, George and Ruth		14.50	14.50
Trefethen, James and Others		63.80	63.80
Travers, George and Iona		118.90	118.90
Triguario, Francisco		7.83	7.83
Tripp, Frederick and Edna		51.62	51.62
Trond, Charles		21.75	21.75
Trond, Stanley and Doris	4.35	220.40	224.75
Trudeau, Omer I. and Phena A.		11.60	11.60
Turcott, George H.		118.90	118.90
Turner, Henry		75.40	75.40
Thornton, J. Felix	4.35		4.35
Townley, Alfred, Jr.	33.64		33.64
Vera, Joseph		58.00	58.00
Victurine, Joseph	136.30	121.80	258.10

	Personal	*Real*	*Tax*
Victurine, Joseph and Clara		213.15	213.15
Vickery, Alice W.		43.50	43.50
Waldron, Loretta		29.00	29.00
Walker, Alton P.		1.45	1.45
Waterson, Edgar W.		111.65	111.65
Walker, Gertrude M.		2.90	2.90
Ward, Harold W.	58.00	133.40	191.40
Ward, Walter M. and Mildred L.	52.20	324.80	377.00
Washburn, Vivian		97.15	97.15
Weatherbee, Helen A.		26.10	26.10
Westgate, Daniel L.		45.24	45.24
Westgate, Harold and Merle		88.16	88.16
White, Carrie L. B.		118.90	118.90
White, Jackson		20.88	20.88
White, Manuel and Josephine		114.55	114.55
White, Raymond A.		174.00	174.00
White, Stewart and Carrie	29.00	98.60	127.60
Whittaker, Edward E.		1.16	1.16
Whittaker, Linneus		152.25	152.25
Whittaker, Lucy M.		81.20	81.20
Whittaker, Norman E.		123.25	123.25
Whitehouse, Fred M. and Ada D.		12.18	12.18
Williams, Frederick and Catherine		7.25	7.25
Williams, Florence M.		49.30	49.30
Williams, Hattie P.		19.14	19.14
Wilson, George		63.80	63.80
Winchoba, Mary and Frank		126.15	126.15
Winchoba, Walter	34.80	140.36	185.16
Western Union Tel. Co.	136.30		136.30
Wood, Bertha		104.40	104.40
Wood, Jeanne		138.62	138.62
Zrebrec, Martin and Francis		176.90	176.90
Zeitler, Virginia		2.90	2.90

1951 POLL TAX LIST

Adams, Carlton R.	2.00	Barton, Jacob	2.00
Adams, George E., Jr.	2.00	Barrett, Edwin	2.00
Adams, George E., 3rd	2.00	Bristol, Ralph	2.00
Adams, Vernon D.	2.00	Bettencourt, Gil	2.00
Adams, William, Jr.	2.00	Bettencourt, Arthur	2.00
Adams, William L.	2.00	Bennett, Russell	2.00
Aguas, Ade O.	2.00	Bindon, Albert	2.00
Allen, James A. F.	2.00	Bindon, Albert W. J.	2.00
Allen, John M.	2.00	Bindon, James A.	2.00
Allen, Joseph G.	2.00	Bindon, William	2.00
Allen, Donald	2.00	Blanchette, Hervey	2.00
Allen, George	2.00	Boyce, Roger	2.00
Alonso, Manuel G.	2.00	Boyce, Borden	2.00
Ames, Frank E.	2.00	Brease, George H., Jr.	2.00
Ames, Elijah	2.00	Brease, George H., Sr.	2.00
Anderson, Alfred	2.00	Brease, Thomas	2.00
Anderson, Percy	2.00	Brailey, James	2.00
Andrews, Francis F. G.	2.00	Brailey, Ernest	2.00
Andrews, R. Donald	2.00	Braizer, Elmer	2.00
Andrews, Emery	2.00	Briggs, Alvin	2.00
Andrews, Raymond	2.00	Briggs, Merton	2.00
Anthony, Ralph	2.00	Briggs, Wilfred	2.00
Anthony, William L.	2.00	Brennan, Edward C.	2.00
Arnold, Stanley	2.00	Brightman, John	2.00
Ashley, Charles	2.00	Brown, Charles	2.00
Ashley, Clinton	2.00	Brown, Everett D.	2.00
Ashley, Harold	2.00	Brown, Ralph	2.00
Ashley, Herbert M.	2.00	Browing, George C.	2.00
Ashley, Leroy	2.00	Bronco, Manuel M.	2.00
Ashley, Lewis	2.00	Burgstron, Martin	2.00
Ashley, Walter M.	2.00	Bumpus, Ira	2.00
Aspinall, Herbert	2.00	Burt, William	2.00
Avery, Vincent	2.00	Butler, George	2.00
Babbitt, George R.	2.00	Buckley, Harry, Jr.	2.00
Babbitt, Joseph H.	2.00	Cambra, Joseph	2.00
Babbitt, Lawrence A.	2.00	Cady, Charles	2.00
Babbitt, Milton	2.00	Cardoza, Joseph	2.00
Babbitt, Richard W.	2.00	Caron, Leo J.	2.00
Babbitt, Russell J.	2.00	Carpenter, Edwin	2.00
Baldwin, Percy L.	2.00	Carpenter, Edwin, Jr.	2.00
Barrow, Lawrence	2.00	Carpenter, Richard	2.00
Barrows, Albert	2.00	Carroll, Frank	2.00
Barboza, Manuel	2.00	Caverlier, William	2.00

Chester, Roger	2.00	Faria, Manuel, Jr.	2.00
Clark, Edward	2.00	Faria, Daniel	2.00
Clark, Everlon	2.00	Farmer, Walton W.	2.00
Clark, Earl	2.00	Fernandes, Antonio	2.00
Clegg, Damon	2.00	Fernandes, John	2.00
Clegg, Norman	2.00	Fernandes, Joseph	2.00
Clough, Harold	2.00	Fernandes, Joseph, Jr.	2.00
Clough, Horace	2.00	Fernandes, Manuel P.	2.00
Cochrane, Ralph	2.00	Fernandes, Manuel, Jr.	2.00
Colpitts, Norman	2.00	Flint, Ernest R.	2.00
Colpitt, E. Roy	2.00	Flint, Fredrick	2.00
Combs, Kenneth	2.00	Flint, Herbert J.	2.00
Combs, Russell	2.00	Flint, Robert C.	2.00
Comerford, Richard B.	2.00	Flint, John	2.00
Comerford, Albert	2.00	Fournier, Francis	2.00
Conant, Edward	2.00	Fournier, Francis N.	2.00
Conant, Roger	2.00	Freeman, Clarence	2.00
Conant, Wendell	2.00	Freeman, Joseph O.	2.00
Costa, Antone	2.00	Frizzado, John	2.00
Costa, Manuel D.	2.00	Furtado, Frank	2.00
Cox, William	2.00	Furtado, Joseph	2.00
Craw, Willis	2.00	Fitzgerald, Harold	2.00
Crimlisk, George	2.00	Gagnon, Lawrence	2.00
Crimlisk, Russell	2.00	Gagne, Alfred	2.00
Cummings, Carlton	2.00	Gaffney, Harry	2.00
Cummings, L. Clyde	2.00	Garrity, James	2.00
Cummings, Leroy	2.00	Gilmore, Robert	2.00
Cybulski, Alex F.	2.00	Goodwin, John	2.00
Dagenais, Norman	2.00	Goff, Henry K.	2.00
DeCosta, Melvin	2.00	Gouveia, Alfred	2.00
Demoranville, Leonard W.	2.00	Gouveia, Joseph	2.00
DeMoura, Robert	2.00	Gracia, Anthony	2.00
DeMoura, Alfred	2.00	Gracia, Richard	2.00
DeMoura, Antone	2.00	Gouveia, Anthony	2.00
Dillingham, Arthur	2.00	Grace, Joseph	2.00
Dillingham, John Q.	2.00	Green, Ernest	2.00
Dillingham, John, Jr.	2.00	Guertin, Gerald	2.00
Dow, Arlon B.	2.00	Grenier, Louis	2.00
Dulak, Kazimier	2.00	Hadro, John	2.00
Dulak, John	2.00	Hadro, Stanley	2.00
Ellsworth, Charles	2.00	Hall, William	2.00
Falk, Walter A.	2.00	Harrison, Charles	2.00
Faria, Joseph	2.00	Harrison, Charles, Jr.	2.00
Faria, Manuel	2.00	Harrison, Donald	2.00

Harrison, M. Wallace	2.00	Lecornec, Walter	2.00
Haskell, Allen	2.00	Lippold, Theodore	2.00
Haskell, Russell	2.00	Lorenz, Werner R.	2.00
Haskins, Henry	2.00	Longton, Walter	2.00
Haskins, William	2.00	Longton, John	2.00
Hatch, Allen	2.00	Lukes, Stephen	2.00
Hathaway, Edward	2.00	Lynch, Robert, Jr.	2.00
Hathaway, John	2.00	Macomber, Clinton	2.00
Hefferman, John T.	2.00	Macomber, Russell	2.00
Hogan, William V.	2.00	Mackintosh, Bentley	2.00
Holmes, Clifton	2.00	Macker, Roger	2.00
Holmes, Nathan	2.00	McEnaney, Phillip	2.00
Holmes, Warren	2.00	MacQueen, Clifford	2.00
Hewitt, George	2.00	Makepeace, Lester	2.00
Hampston, Charles	2.00	Makepeace, Lester, Jr.	2.00
Houtzager, Marcus	2.00	Makepeace, Robert	2.00
Howard, Charles M.	2.00	Makepeace, Wilman	2.00
Howland, Alfred T.	2.00	Marshall, Antone	2.00
Howland, Robert S.	2.00	Marshall, David	2.00
Holden, Charles H.	2.00	Marshall, Frank	2.00
Hoxie, Ralph F.	2.00	Marshall, Joseph	2.00
Hunter, Robert H.	2.00	Marshall, Joseph, Jr.	2.00
Hyde, Ralph	2.00	Marshall, Manuel	2.00
Ide, Douglas E.	2.00	Martin, Manuel F., Jr.	2.00
Ide, Warren M.	2.00	Martin, Anthony	2.00
Ide, Warren L.	2.00	Martin, Manuel F.	2.00
Johnston, John W.	2.00	Martin, William	2.00
Jones, Daniel	2.00	Mazzola, Joseph	2.00
Jones, Edwin	2.00	McCabe, Allen	2.00
Jones, Edwin, Jr.	2.00	McCarthy, Robert H.	2.00
Jones, George E.	2.00	McCauley, Carleton	2.00
King, Preston	2.00	McCrohon, Edward	2.00
Kendzierski, Edward	2.00	McCrohn, John	2.00
Kay, Joseph	2.00	McCrohn, Francis V.	2.00
Kelsey, Andrew	2.00	McCrohn, John, Jr.	2.00
Kelsey, James	2.00	McDonald, Norman	2.00
Kelly, Cornelius	2.00	Melesky, Roman	2.00
Lawrence, George	2.00	Melesky, Stephan	2.00
Lawrence, Russell	2.00	Metzger, Charles	2.00
Lane, Edward, Jr.	2.00	Milko, Samuel	2.00
Leonard, Freemont W.	2.00	Milko, Henry	2.00
Lerean, Lucien	2.00	Mitchel, William	2.00
Lefaivre, Wilfred J.	2.00	Miller, Howard	2.00
Lefaivre, Wilfred J., Jr.	2.00	Moniz, William	2.00
Lecornec, Paul	2.00	Morel, Alphonse	2.00

Moore, George W.	2.00	Ratcliff, Albert H.	2.00
Morse, Howard	2.00	Ratcliff, William G.	2.00
Moskol, John	2.00	Ropoza, Gilbert H.	2.00
Moskol, Paull	2.00	Ropoza, Joseph	2.00
Moskol, Stanley	2.00	Raymond, Ernest	2.00
Murphy, Cornelius	2.00	Reed, Frederick A.	2.00
Murphy, Patrick W.	2.00	Reed, William V.	2.00
Murphy, Peter J.	2.00	Reed, Alexander	2.00
Murphy, Michael H.	2.00	Reagan, Albert	2.00
Murphy, John C.	2.00	Reagan, Raymond	2.00
Mattos, Manuel Gabriel	2.00	Reiser, Elmer	2.00
Neeson, James	2.00	Remy, Louis	2.00
Nunes, Daniel	2.00	Raynolds, Milton	2.00
Nunes, Edward	2.00	Ring, John	2.00
Nunes, Edward, Jr.	2.00	Robbins, Arthur	2.00
Nunes, Gilbert	2.00	Roman, Edward	2.00
Olsson, Eric	2.00	Roman, Barney	2.00
Overlock, Calvin	2.00	Rines, George	2.00
Paige, Manuel	2.00	Rogers, William	2.00
Paige, Edwin	2.00	Rose, Antone	2.00
Paull, Stewart	2.00	Rose, Benjamin	2.00
Paull, Willard	2.00	Rose, Frank	2.00
Peterson, Charles	2.00	Rose, Harold	2.00
Perry, Arnold	2.00	Rose, Joseph	2.00
Perry, Elmer	2.00	Rose, Emanuel	2.00
Perry, Richard	2.00	Rose, Richard	2.00
Phillips, Shelton	2.00	Rylands, William	2.00
Pierce, Arthur	2.00	Renzi, Settenio	2.00
Pierce, Bion L.	2.00	Sandlin, Lester	2.00
Pittsley, David	2.00	Santos, Ernest H.	2.00
Pittsley, Clarence	2.00	Senechal, Albert	2.00
Pittsley, Wilmont	2.00	Sellars, Freeman	2.00
Pittsley, Nelson	2.00	Seward, Leland	2.00
Pittsley, Nelson D., Jr.	2.00	Shepard, William	2.00
Pilling, John	2.00	Shepard, Robert	2.00
Pilling, Richard	2.00	Silva, Frank	2.00
Pilling, Warren	2.00	Silvan, Arnold	2.00
Peloquin, Raymond	2.00	Silvan, Eino	2.00
Plogger, William	2.00	Sellars, Robert	2.00
Poole, Kenneth	2.00	Silva, Louis	2.00
Poole, Stanley	2.00	Slivinski, Peter	2.00
Polle, Elmer	2.00	Slivinski, Joseph	2.00
Prichard, Joseph	2.00	Slocum, Mathew	2.00
Pyse, Wozciech	2.00	Smith, Augustus	2.00
Ratcliff, Albert O.	2.00	Smith, David	2.00

Stauch, Edward	2.00	Trond, Stanley	2.00
Souza, Lionald	2.00	Turcott, George	2.00
Staples, Calvin	2.00	Trites, Robert	2.00
Stetson, George	2.00	Trycinski, Alexander	2.00
Stetson, G. Robert	2.00	Viverios, Dimas	2.00
Stetson, Merle J.	2.00	Victurine, Frank	2.00
Stone, Ernest	2.00	Victurine, Joseph	2.00
Story, Elliot	2.00	Viera, Joseph	2.00
Stratton, Raymond E.	2.00	Ward, Harold	2.00
Swift, Lawrence	2.00	Washburn, Forrest	2.00
Swift, Lawrence, Jr.	2.00	Wallace, Irving	2.00
Sullavin, Austin	2.00	Waterson, Edgar W.	2.00
Sylvester, Thomas	2.00	Waterson, Edgar W., Jr.	2.00
Townley, Alfred, Jr.	2.00	Westgate, Harold	2.00
Sylvester, Maynard	2.00	Westgate, Harold, Jr.	2.00
Sylvia, Anthony	2.00	Ward, Walter M.	2.00
Sylvia, Charles	2.00	Whippee, Alfred	2.00
Sylvain, Joseph	2.00	White, Lawrence	2.00
Taber, George	2.00	White, Stewart	2.00
Talbot, Allen	2.00	White, Frederick	2.00
Tavares, Joseph	2.00	White, Jackson	2.00
Tarvis, John	2.00	Whittaker, F. Elmer	2.00
Templeton, Garland	2.00	Whittaker, Linneus C.	2.00
Thornton, J. Felix	2.00	Whittaker, Norman E.	2.00
Tharrett, Dallas	2.00	Wilson, George	2.00
Tompkins, Lloyd	2.00	Winslow, Edward	2.00
Triguairo, Francisco	2.00	Wonchoba, Frank	2.00
Turner, Henry	2.00	Wonchoba, Walter	2.00
Townley, Alfred	2.00	Wood, Henry	2.00
Townley, Alfred, Jr.	2.00	Wood, Winston L.	2.00
Trenouth, Clarence	2.00	Zrebiec, Martin	2.00
Travers, George	2.00	Zrebiec, Walter	2.00
Travis, Antone	2.00	Zeitler, Charles	2.00

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

School Committee

OF THE

TOWN OF BERKLEY

For the Year Ending December 31, 1951

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
Mrs. Ruth O. Babbitt, Chairman Berkley, Mass.	1953
Mrs. Jessie A. Colpitt, Secretary Berkley, Mass.	1952
Gil A. Bettencourt Berkley, Mass.	1954

Superintendent

John J. Rolfe, B. Ed., M. Ed.
Residence: 117 School Street, North Dighton
Office: Dighton High School, Segreganset

Telephone: Dighton 3361 (Office)
Taunton 2-0698 (Home)

Office Hours:
Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
and by appointment

Secretary

Gladys P. Babbitt

School Physician

Charles M. Souza, M.D.
Dighton

School Nurse

Ella F. Dillingham, R.N.
Berkley

Attendance Officer

Horace Clough
Berkley

GENERAL INFORMATION

Birth Certificates

Presentation of a birth certificate is required for entrance to first grade.

Vaccination

Every child who enters school for the first time must present a certificate of vaccination or a statement from his physician that vaccination is inadvisable.

No School Information

When weather conditions are such that our buses are unable to run, a no school notice will be broadcast over Radio Station WSAR, Fall River, and over Radio Station WPEP, Taunton. Parents are urged to use their own good judgment about sending their children to school on stormy days. The fact that school is in session does not mean that attendance by all pupils is advisable.

Transportation

The law requires that transportation be provided for pupils residing more than two miles from the school attended or more than one mile from the nearest bus stop. Many pupils living at lesser distances along established routes are transported if the seating capacity of the bus will permit. From time to time it is necessary to refuse transportation to some of those living under the required distance when our buses are filled to capacity with children living at a greater distance.

Entrance Age

First grade registration in September of any year will be limited to those children who are at least six years of age or who will become six years of age on or before the following January first. There will be no exception to this ruling. Registration must be during the first three weeks of school in September.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens of the Town of Berkley:

Annually the School Department submits to the townspeople an annual report that sets forth pertinent information relative to the functioning of the schools. Although such a report may seem uninteresting to many, it nevertheless serves as a valuable record for the future. Such reports, however, are written to be read and not just to be stored away for the perusal of posterity. In order that the parents and other citizens may know just how the educational budget is spent and how the schools are functioning the law requires that an annual report be submitted. Many of the questions that are asked from time to time have been answered over and over again in the school reports.

I am pleased to submit my ninth annual report as Superintendent of Schools for the Town of Berkley. Incorporated herein is the report of the School Committee.

Financial

In 1951 the Commonwealth of Massachusetts certified for payment to the Town of Berkley the amount of $18,718.00 on account of schools, making the net cost of operation $20,431.16. This was $1,300.02 *less* than Berkley paid to operate its school department in 1950 when the net was $21,731.18 and $490.67 *less* than in 1949 when the net was $20,921.83. However, these figures are purely informational in nature and in no sense should be interpreted as being a reflection of operating efficiency.

Certain set factors determine the major cost of operating a school system. 96% of our budget is for items such as salaries, tuition, transportation, electricity, fuel, and insurance. All of these are set commitments except salaries which can be cut by the committee. However, the maximum salary paid to an individual for teaching service is $2,800.00 which is only $200.00 more than the lowest salary paid to an inexperienced teacher in many other towns.

The items that make up the additional 4% of the budget are books, supplies, miscellaneous, and replacement of equip-

ment. Of the 119 towns under 5,000 population without high schools only seven spend less per pupil than Berkley.

The budget to be submitted for 1952 will show a gross increase of $1,655.90 and a net of $718.00. This increase is caused by the necessity of providing the salary of an additional teacher on a full year basis, for expanded heating requirements, and for tuition.

Personnel

After teaching in Berkley for seven years, Miss Catherine Kula of Taunton resigned to accept a better paying position in Brockton. Miss Kathleen Kelliher, a graduate of Lesley College and a resident of Taunton, was elected to the vacancy. Mrs. Marcine Weiner, teacher of grades three and four, resigned in June. Mrs. Anne K. Greene, a graduate of Lesley and a resident of Swansea, was elected to that position.

Due to the increase in enrollment that we have been experiencing over the past several years, the employment of an additional teacher was deemed advisable by the Committee in order to eliminate the necessity of having some children attend school in the morning only, while another group attended the afternoon session only. Mr. Richard Flemming, a graduate of Bridgewater State Teachers College and a resident of Taunton was elected to teach the sixth grade and part of the seventh.

In November, Mr. Horace Clough was selected by the Committee to replace Mr. Russell Coombs who resigned from the janitor's position to accept other work.

Heating

After a number a years of discussion relative to the heating problem at the Berkley School, the necessity of providing heat for the auditorium made the townspeople cognizant of the urgency of the problem. From September until the system was in operation in January, the sixth, seventh and eighth grades were required to attend school on a shortened schedule, with one group attending from eight o'clock until twelve and the other from twelve o'clock until four. At this time the automatic controls have not been completed but we are able to use the system on a limited basis.

The providing of heat for the auditorium, the health room, the corridors, and the basements has made for a distinct improvement in the school. We shall be able to provide adequate heat and ventilation to the classrooms without the handicaps of overheating and underheating such as we encountered with the old coal burning furnace system. No longer will we have to close the school because of the impossibility of properly heating it. No longer will the children have to sit in chilly rooms on cold days.

We have more than doubled the space that is heated and so can expect that the cost will be considerably higher. Although the facilities of the building have been described in previous reports there are many who still do not realize that heretofore we were not heating our basements, halls, or auditorium.

Improvements of Building and Grounds

Many years have elapsed since the first request for a drinking fountain in the west corridor. This year the fountain was voted by the School Committee and installed. The necessity of using the auditorum for classroom purposes required the installation of new lights, chalkboards, and school furniture. Fluorescent lights were purchased to replace the old ones that were woefully inadequate. Fifteen used desks and chairs were purchased from the Somerset School Department for a nominal sum. A Webster record player was furnished the music department.

An effort was made to improve the playground area at the rear of the building but it is still very unsatisfactory for basketball practice. A blacktop court should be installed. The completion of the job of sanding and refinishing the desk tops has improved the appearance of the classrooms considerably.

General

For the past several years the Berkley Woman's Club has operated a dental clinic for the children. The cost of this service has become too great for the club to carry and so the service is being discontinued. We are deeply grateful to those public spirited women who gave so generously of their time and money for the good of the children. A dental clinic is of

such a vital necessity that we hope in some way the Town may again accept this responsibility as it did several years previously.

Our schools continue to be well supplied with books and supplies. The high school records show that Berkley students do unusually well in high school. This indicates that they are receiving a sound foundation in those skills, attitudes and habits that are necessary for doing high school work successfully.

Conclusion

The fine support given by the many Berkley people who are interested in the school children is deeply appreciated. In closing I wish to point out that without a cooperative school committee a superintendent cannot do his best work and a school system suffers as a result. I am fortunate to have a committee that has been highly cooperative, and that has been sincerely interested in providing the best education possible for the children of Berkley.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. ROLFE

Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. John J. Rolfe
Superintendent of Schools
Berkley, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

I take pleasure in submitting my annual report as school nurse in the Berkley Grammar School.

A health program should start early in life and continue throughout its duration. This is not always possible and children enter school with bad teeth, infected tonsils and enlarged neck glands. Toxins or poisons absorbed in the system from these defects tend to make a child feel tired and listless and he has difficulty keeping up with his class. If these defects could be corrected in the early grades, the result would be a healthier, happier child.

The annual physical examination was given by Dr. Souza and one hundred twenty-nine notices were sent home to parents notifying them of conditions needing attention. We have had six tonsillectomies during the past year.

Members of the Woman's Club regret they will be unable to continue operating the dental clinic. There was not enough interest or cooperation shown and the burden of transportation and the financing of the clinic fell upon a few members. I greatly appreciate all help given me with this clinic. Dr. Israel Helfand, clinic doctor, reports that forty-six pupils attended the clinic with the following operations completed:

Extractions	51
Silver fillings	95
Zinc oxide bases	40
Pulpcapping for exposed nerves	9
Cleanings	21

A total of $544.00 was paid Dr. Helfand. $155.00 was paid by the pupils with the balance being paid by the Woman's Club. Urgent treatment was given without charge to five pupils. This clinic has made parents more conscious of the need for early dental care and an increasing number of pupils are going to their own dentists.

An epidemic of chicken-pox occurred during the year resulting in a large loss of school time. Parents are asked to watch for early symptoms suggesting communicable diseases and keep a child home until a return-to-school permit is secured from the school doctor. This is the only way we can hope to control epidemics.

The toxoid clinic was held in March and was well attended. Fifty-eight percent of the pupils have been immunized against diphtheria. Fourteen children were present at the pre-school clinic which was held in June.

Due to the activities of installing the new heating system, the Mass. Vision Test and the Pure Tone Hearing Test were omitted but will be given later in the year.

Several home visits have been made this year. The school health program concerns, not only the school, but also the home. It is only by co-operation between the two that we can promote health consciousness in parents and pupils.

In closing, I wish to thank all those who gave me such courteous co-operation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLA F. DILLINGHAM

Registered Nurse

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Mr. John J. Rolfe
Superintendent of Schools
Berkley, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Rolfe:

I feel that the town of Berkley has been very progressive in providing materials for my work. I am very grateful.

Since January of last year new books for the fourth and fifth grades have been provided, superseding those published around 1930. Both teachers and children have welcomed the change.

An important addition to the record library has been made in the form of three albums of R.C.A. Victor's "Listening Activities". These are the first of a set of six albums for the elementary school level.

But most important has been the fine Webster record player (three speeds—to which may be added a public address system) that was purchased and on which all of the record library may be played. It is portable so that each grade may enjoy the use of it, yet it is powerful enough to be used very satisfactorily when the whole school is together in the auditorium.

The instrumental part of my work is showing some progress. There are nine children taking instrumental lessons at school, and five who are studying privately. At the graduation exercises last June the orchestra was able to play a selection in addition to the processional march.

All concerned in my work have been most cooperative.

Yours truly,

MARJORIE E. HAYWARD

Supervisor of Music

GRADUATION PROGRAM

BERKLEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

June 5, 1951 Auditorium 8:00 P.M.

PROGRAM

Processional — School Orchestra

Invocation — Rev. Francis McKeon

Response — Chorus
"The Twenty-third Psalm"

Address of Welcome — Robert V. Andrews

"The Dance" — Chorus

Recitation — Wallace A. Wood
"Our Country"

Piano Solo — Patricia J. Stetson
"Nola"

Recitation — Claudia E. Wilson
"The Things I Prize"

"Shine, Glorious Sun" — Chorus

Recitation — Jean E. LaFrance
"What is Success?"

Accordion Solo — William M. Melesky
"The Glow-Worm"

Recitation — Jean F. Ashley
"Nature's Treasures"

"Danube Waves" — School Orchestra

Closing Address — Patricia J. Stetson

"Somewhere a Child is Singing" — Chorus

Presentation of Awards by Berkley Men's Association
Milton A. Babbitt, President

Presentation of Awards by Berkley Woman's Club
Mrs. Arnold Perry, President

School Song — Chorus
Composed by Grades 7 and 8

Speaker — Mrs. Jean T. Carroll
Class of 1926 - 1927

Solo — Bernard Hamlen
"The Thief"
Mr. Arthur Peirce
Class of 1926 - 1927
Accompanist—Miss Natalie Seaver

"Through the Years"
Miss Elizabeth A. Brady
Teacher of Grades 1 and 2, 1926 - 1928
Sylvia A. Bettencourt, Class of 1951
Antonia Aguas, Class of 1952

Presentation of Diplomas
Mr. Emery C. Andrews
Class of 1926 - 1927

Benediction — Rev. Joseph H. Pritchard

Recessional — School Orchestra

Mrs. Marjorie E. Hayward, Music Supervisor
Mr. John J. Rolfe, Superintendent of Schools

GRADUATES

Bruce Michael Andrews
Robert Vincent Andrews
Jean Frances Ashley
Guire Ashley Babbitt
Sylvia Ann Bettencourt
Sarah Jane Bindon
Charlotte Bessie Crimlisk
Jean Eileen LaFrance
William Michael Melesky
Armand A. Morel
Sarah Silvia
Joan Bernadette Slivinski
Patricia Jean Stetson
Claudia Ellen Wilson
Wallace Alexander Wood

MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Wallace A. Wood, President

Jean Ashley
Rebecca Babbitt
Roberta Babbitt
Francis Barboza
David Clark
June Clough
Natalie Dulak
Warner Goff
Judith Ingalls
William Melesky
Alphonse Morel
Lawrence Perry
Margaret Silvan
Joan Slivinski
Stephen Thompson
James Wallace
Alan Waterson

BERKLEY PUPILS ATTENDING DIGHTON HIGH SCHOOL

DECEMBER 31, 1951

Freshmen

Jean F. Ashley
Guire A. Babbitt
Sylvia A. Bettencourt
Sarah J. Bindon
Charlotte B. Crimlisk
Jean E. LaFrance
Joyce Nutbrown
William M. Melesky
Sarah Silvia
Joan B. Slivinski
Patricia J. Stetson
Claudia E. Wilson
Wallace A. Wood

Sophomores

Lorraine V. Barboza
Joseph Bonvie
June F. Conant
George B. Cummings
Alexander Houtzager
Judith Mae Hunter
Virginia Lee
*Mark A. Marshall
David A. Pilling
*Edward H. Rose
*Paul E. Senechal
Theresa Mae Sylvia
Irving F. Wallace, Jr.
Yvonne Washburn
Naomi White

Juniors

Ann K. Andrews
David M. Ashley
Eleanor M. Costa
*Daniel R. Fernandes
Jacqueline K. Harrison
Theodore Sherman King
Lorraine Rose Paige
Shirley Ann Smith
Warren E. Sylvester, Jr.

Seniors

Charles M. Ashley
Shirley Babbitt
Daniel D. Cambra
*Kenneth W. Carpenter
Florence Delano
Edith Fernandes
James Joseph Furtado
*James E. Garrity
Beverly Ann Gilmore
Irene Rose
Alice Constance Souto

*Vocational Shop Students

FINANCIAL STATEMENT — 1951

Appropriation		$39,150.10
Expenditures		
General Control	$ 1,607.05	
Teachers' Salaries	14,969.50	
Books and Supplies	929.27	
Janitors' Salary	2,095.84	
Fuel	1,365.98	
Repairs	109.18	
New Equipment	448.94	
Health	664.04	
Transportation	9,852.00	
Tuition	6,999.90	
Electricity	85.32	
Miscellaneous	279.34	
Insurance	273.04	
		39,139.40
Returned to Town	10.70	
Receipts		
Reimbursement Chapter 70 General School Aid	9,431.41	
Reimbursement Superintendent's Travel and Salary	373.31	
Reimbursement Vocational Education	922.72	
Transportation	7,980.80	
Total Receipts		18,708.24
NET COST TO TOWN		$20,431.16

ENROLLMENT — OCTOBER 1, 1951

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Catherine L. Murphy	30								30
Kathleen Kelliher		38							38
Anne K. Greene			27	11					38
Edna C. Lincoln				8	28				36
Richard C. Flemming						17	10		27
A. Louise Unsworth							13	22	35
Totals	30	38	27	19	28	17	23	22	204

AGE-GRADE ENROLLMENT — OCTOBER 1, 1951

Grade	Age											Totals
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
1	2	23	5									30
2		7	27	4								38
3			4	18	4	1						27
4				3	13	3						19
5					6	18	3		1			28
6						3	9	3	1		1	17
7							5	13	4	1		23
8								10	8	3	1	22
	2	30	36	25	23	25	17	26	14	4	2	204

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Calendar Year 1952

School opens January 2, 1952 — Closes February 15, 1952
School opens February 25, 1952 — Closes April 18, 1952
School opens April 28, 1952 — Closes June 13, 1952
School opens September 3, 1952 — Closes December 19, 1952

School will close on the following days:

April 11—Good Friday
May 30—Memorial Day
October 13—Columbus Day (October 12)
October 31—Teachers' Convention
November 11—Armistice Day
November 27 and 28—Thanksgiving Recess

BERKLEY SCHOOL FACULTY

School	Teacher	Degree	Address	Education	App'd.
Berkley Grammar School	A. Louise Unsworth		15 Forest St., Taunton	Bridgewater	1939
	Richard C. Fleming	B.S. in Ed.	566 Somerset Ave., Taunton	Bridgewater	1951
	Anne K. Greene		154 Main St., Swansea	Lesley	1951
	Kathleen A. Kelliher		29 Ashland St., Taunton	Lesley	1951
	Edna C. Lincoln	B.S. in Ed.	38 Ingell St., Taunton	Bridgewater	1942
	Catherine L. Murphy		Clancy St., Swansea	Lesley	1949

MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Marjorie E. Hayward — Foundry St., South Easton

JANITOR

Horace Clough — North Main St., Berkley